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SUMMER SALE
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ON
MONDAY

KOWLOON COAL DUMP SCANDAL

SPECIAL COMMITTEE FORMED

PRIVATE MEETING HELD
LAST NIGHT

A DEPUTATION LIKELY

The Telegraph was reliably informed this morning that it is not now the intention of property owners and principal tenants in the vicinity of the coal dump at Blackhead Point to petition the Governor-in-Council immediately regarding the nuisance.

The matter, we understand, was given careful consideration at a small preliminary meeting last evening, and it was the general opinion of those present that it would be inadvisable to petition the Government until it was ascertained what steps, if any, were proposed to dispose of the cause of complaint.

COMMITTEE APPOINTED.

Last night's meeting was convened by Mr. J. A. Tarrant, a resident, and after some discussion a small committee was appointed, comprising Messrs. A. S. Sykes, representing Messrs. David and Co., who are interested in numerous properties in the "afflicted area," as chairman, R. J. Shrigley, representing Messrs. Reiss, Massey and Co., Messrs. for the Spanish Procurement, C. E. Terry, President of the Kowloon Residents' Association, F. H. Leach, and Dr. J. Durrant, which was empowered to draft a resolution, to be submitted to a general meeting which will be held at the Peninsula Hotel this evening, condemning the coal dump as a public nuisance.

FINDING OUT.

One member of the committee informed our representative this morning that they had no knowledge yet as to what the Government's intentions were.

Instead of rushing through a petition and getting signatures, it was considered more advisable to find out exactly where they stood.

Their resolution, if adopted this evening, would result in a deputation to be appointed at the meeting, interviewing the Colonial Secretary for the purpose of obtaining a definite Government statement.

If the Government had already decided to take action which met with approval, the matter as far as the residents are concerned will be dropped.

If, on the other hand, the statement was not satisfactory or information was refused, it is probable that a petition will be drafted and sent to H.E. the Governor-in-Council.

"We want to know exactly where we stand at the present time," the member concluded.

COMMUNIST PLOT FRUSTRATED

ATTEMPT TO STIR UP PORTUGUESE NAVY

Lisbon, July 26.

The vigilance of the Portuguese police has resulted in foiling a large-scale Communist plot in which the conspirators aimed at creating disaffection in the army and navy by the circulation of inflammatory pamphlets.

Several of the leading plotters have been arrested and, in a raid conducted to-day, the police seized a large quantity of subversive literature intended for distribution.—Reuter.

The ship Kilderspore left Singapore for yesterday at 4 p.m. and is expected to arrive here to-morrow.



Another view of the coal dump at Blackhead Point, extending into the distance.

U.S. PROSPERITY DRIVE

NEW FIGURES ON THE BOARD

LABOUR GAINS A POINT

Washington, July 31.

The National Recovery Administration has been strengthened by the appointment to the Industrial Advisory Board of Mr. James Moffett, who resigned his directorship of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey to support the campaign.

Other prominent figures in commercial and industrial life who have joined the Board are Mr. Harry Harriman, the President of the United States Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. R. L. Lund, the President of the Manufacturers Association.

LABOUR WINS.

Washington, July 31.

Organised labour won the first round of the struggle to thresh out a National Recovery Code for the steel industry at this morning's hearing before the Administrator, Brigadier-General Hugh Johnson.

The employers, who are traditionally opposed to the independent organisation of labour by outside bodies such as the United States Federation of Labour, submitted a Code specifically providing for a "Company Union" system, under which the workers of each Company will be organised under Company officials.

OWN METHODS.

An attack on the "Company Union" system by a spokesman of the Federation of Labour was supported by General Johnson and Mr. Thomas Lamont, President of the Iron and Steel Institute, and it was finally agreed to withdraw the clause.

The workers are thus technically free to choose their own methods of labour organisation, though Mr. Lamont added that owners will still endeavour to continue to deal with employees through the "Company Unions."

The owners' Code provides a 40-hour week and a minimum weekly wage of fifteen dollars.—Reuter.

PROSPERITY.

Lasting prosperity cannot be attained in a nation that is half booming and half penniless is the attitude adopted by President Roosevelt.

The President made it plain that it was the Administration's opinion that, if industry co-operated with the Government as fully as did agriculture in reducing the cotton acreage, unemployment would cease and none would suffer because of economic conditions.

By shortening the hours of labour, over-production will be prevented, the President declared, and by a reasonable increase in wages, which industry can afford, the country's buying power will be increased in a short time to a point where economic suffering and unemployment will cease.

ANSWER TO CRITICS.

For the benefit of critics who might be misled by the President's statement, the Administration has today said that it is not a matter of opinion.

DAVIS CUP TEAM LIONISED

GREAT WELCOME AT VICTORIA

PERRY CARRIED SHOULDER-HIGH

London, July 31.

Scenes of wild enthusiasm were witnessed at Victoria Station to-day when the triumphant British Davis Cup team was welcomed home with the Cup.

The plane itself was lined with a crowd from five to six deep and outside there was another huge crowd.

A great roar went up as the players, H. W. Austin, F. J. Perry, G. P. Hughes and H. G. N. Lee stepped off the train accompanied by Mr. Roper Barrett, the non-playing captain, who was carrying the cup.

The crowd surged to and fro and finally broke through the cordon, rushing Perry, the hero of the occasion thanks to his great victory over Cochet, and after a struggle, he was lifted shoulder-high and carried out of the station in triumph.

His Majesty telegraphed his congratulations from Cowes.—Reuter.

JUNK UNDER WAY WITHOUT CREW

Found With Sails Set Near Cheungchau

When in charge of a Preventive patrol launch off Lamma Island last night, Revenue Officer Ward saw a fishing junk drifting out of Cheungchau. The sails were fully set, but the craft was without a crew.

The Revenue launch towed the junk to Aberdeen, where it is hoped to clear up the mystery by its number 3311.

CEMENT COMPANY RUMOURS

PLANT SALE STORY QUITE UNTRUE

Rumours to the effect that the Green Island Cement Company have disposed of their plant to the value of over \$1,000,000 were quashed this morning by Mr. Allan Keith, the secretary of the Company, who informed the Telegraph that the rumours were entirely untrue.

gramme was breaking down under its own weight, the President pointed to the things that the Administration has done and said that the country was on the right path.

GALE IN CHANNEL

KING'S YACHT MENACED

STEAMER OUT OF CONTROL

London, July 31.

High winds and heavy seas swept the English coasts to-day, causing some considerable interference with shipping services.

It was particularly rough in the Channel and crowds of holiday makers at the seaside resorts turned out to see great waves dashing over the piers and seawalls.

Several craft got into difficulties, but no serious mishap occurred.

COWES INCIDENT.

The Royal Yacht, Victoria and Albert, which is the headquarters of Their Majesties the King and Queen during their stay at Cowes, was compelled to send out a pinnace to the assistance of a Portsmouth-Isle of Wight paddle steamer which carried by the gale and strong tides fouled some yachts in the roads.

At one time, with the steamer sweeping down more or less out of control, the King's yacht "Britannia" was seriously endangered, but when a collision seemed likely, the paddle steamer dropped both her anchors and they held her clear.

TOWED CLEAR.

The steamer was later towed clear, when the gale had moderated somewhat.

Owing to the gale, the Regatta of the Royal Yacht Club was postponed for the first time in its history.—Reuter.

LONDON SWEATERS. IN HEAT.

London, July 26.

To-day was the hottest day of the year in London, the shade temperature for sixteen hours being 88 degrees.

The intense heat caused several cases of collapse among women at Goodwood, where the 183rd race meeting is being held.—Reuter.

ON THE NORTH-WEST FRONTIER

London Watching Events Closely

London, July 31.

Developments in the situation on the North-west Frontier of India are being closely watched here.

Troops are advancing from Peshawar to the support of the loyal Halanjal tribe, which is threatened by the neighbouring tribe of Mohmands.

Meanwhile, the Government of India's demand for the surrender by the Bajaur tribesmen of certain agitators whose conduct threatens peace and the fulfilment of international obligations has not been complied with.

Royal Air Force aeroplanes accordingly have flown over Bajaur and to-day dropped notices warning the villages of their intention to bomb certain officially fixed objectives. The aeroplanes were fired at when over the village of Klar.—British Wireless.

FAIRBANKS' RELATIONS

Rumours of Impending Divorce

Reno, Nevada, July 23.

Rumours of an impending divorce between Miss Mary Pickford and her husband, Mr. Douglas Fairbanks, are rife here, but hitherto no direct confirmation is obtainable. Miss Pickford, who admitted some time ago that she was separated from her husband, said that she had no intention of divorcing him.

ENGLAND'S TEST TEAM

THREE CHANGES IN THE SIDE

SUTCLIFFE ASKS TO STAND DOWN

London, July 31.

The changes have been made in England's team to meet the West Indies in the Third Test match at the Oval starting on Saturday week.

R. W. V. Robins, Herbert Sutcliffe and C. G. Macaulay are out, Sutcliffe being excused on the grounds of not being quite fit and Macaulay presumably losing his place owing to his injury.

The selectors have adopted a very bold attitude in facing this position.

THE TEAM.

Bakewell, prolific Northants scorer, has been brought in for Sutcliffe; Nichols, who has been bowling exceptionally well for Essex, displaces Macaulay; and C. S. Marriott, schoolmaster and Kent county cricketer, occupies Robins's position. The team will therefore be:

D. R. Jardine (Surrey) Capt.
R. E. S. Wyatt (Warwick)
C. F. Walters (Worcester)
C. S. Marriott (Kent)
Hammond (Gloucester)
Ames (Kent)
Langridge, Jas (Sussex)
Verity (Yorkshire)
Nichols (Essex)
Clark (Northants)
Bakewell (Northants)
Townsend (Derbyshire) 12th Man.

The selectors have apparently been influenced by the constant failure of the West Indies to face confidently spin bowling.

MARRIOTT'S PECULIARITIES.

Thus C. S. Marriott, one of the cleverest slow bowlers in the country has been given his chance. Unfortunately Marriott is at the disadvantage of being unable to take part in first class cricket until late in the season when the schools break up. But already this summer he has met with marked success for Kent and with Freeman, forms a very dangerous attack. His delivery is most peculiar. He takes his run of some half a dozen paces from directly behind the umpire and thereby conceals his finger and wrist action until the very last minute. In actually delivering the ball Marriott takes his right arm right back with the hand touching the left shoulder blade. In Kent he is popularly called the "snake-charmer" owing to the exaggerated movement of his arms and shoulders whilst bowling.

BATTING STRENGTH.

Nichols has earned a place on his consistent form. His latest success was 7 for 62 against Gloucester last week, and this laid the foundation for the big Essex win. Bakewell's introduction will be generally accepted with pleasure. His batting form has been very good this year and recognition was overdue.

Once again England has a powerful batting side, and if a little weak in fast bowlers, Clark and Nichols being the only two, there is quite an array of sound change bowlers including Marriott, James Langridge, Hammond and Wyatt.—Reuter.

UNEMPLOYMENT IN COLONY

SKIPPER GOES TO DETENTION HOUSE

George Harold Horn, aged 49, and unemployed master mariner, was committed by Mr. Wynne-Jones this morning to the House of Detention under the Vagrancy Act. It was stated by Detective-Sergeant Mottram that defendant had fallen out of a job. He had been in the House of Detention previously, just for one day, but yesterday he had to give himself up. Defendant was committed to the House of Detention.

GANDHI ARRESTED WITH WHOLE PARTY

AWAKENED AT 1.40 A.M.

DISOBEDIENCE MARCH NIPPED IN BUD

Ahmedabad, Aug. 1.

The Mahatma Gandhi and Mrs. Gandhi were arrested at 1.40 a.m. to-day.

The Congress leader was staying in a bungalow belonging to a wealthy mill-owner, Mr. Ranchood Das and had retired. He was sleeping soundly when he was awakened up by a crowd rushing into the District Magistrate and the District Superintendent were seen to arrive in four cars, accompanied by a squad of police officers.

Gandhi called the inmates together, prayed and then surrendered.

WHOLE PARTY GAOLED.

All the other members of the party were arrested, including Mahadev Desai, Gandhi's secretary, and thirty-two Ashramites. All of them have been placed in the gaol at Sabarmati.

Warning that this would be the probable outcome of Gandhi's declared intention of beginning a new civil disobedience march was given by officials at Simla some hours before, it being indicated that the authorities would probably arrest Gandhi to-day as soon as the march began.

NOT ALLOWED TO START.

In fact, they did not wait for the march to begin. The authorities apparently decided upon arrest before the start was made.

The march, in which Mrs. Gandhi and fifteen other women were to have participated, was planned to start from Ahmedabad. The marchers were to go to a village in the Ras Kaira district and there launch a new civil disobedience movement with an appeal to the villagers.

Civil disobedience has been rapidly dying out in India lately and in announcing his march, was in conflict with the bulk of opinion in the Congress Party.—Reuter.

MEERUT CASE ON APPEAL

DEFENCE COUNSEL'S CONTENTION

Expected to last two months, the appeal in the Meerut conspiracy case has been taken up by the High Court.

The appellants are three Englishmen and 24 others who were sentenced on January 16 to various terms, ranging from transportation for life to small terms of imprisonment, on a charge of conspiring to deprive the King of his sovereignty.

The trial lasted over three years. Philip Spratt and B. F. Brindley, the Englishmen, who are alleged to have financed the plot, were sentenced to ten years' imprisonment each, while J. L. Hutchinson received four years' rigorous imprisonment.

The main contention of the defence counsel for the appellants is that a man cannot be prosecuted for holding views. Although the accused believed in the ultimate inevitability of a revolution, the contingency was so remote that their activities could not be considered a conspiracy against the King, he asserted to-day.—Reuter.

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France and half a dozen other countries to-day founded a League of Nations and are demanding more of a certainty day by day, foreign powers are already clamouring to get favourable treatment for their wines, whiskies, beers, etc.

LONDON TUBE EXTENSION

TWENTY-FIVE MILES ON THE UNDERGROUND

NEW SECTION OPENED

London, July 31.

The last section of the Tube railway extension from South Harrow to Cockfosters was opened to the public to-day.

The Tube railway which is twenty-five miles long is the longest underground in the world and the new addition just completed has cost about £5,000,000.

On some sections, the speed now attained is three miles in five minutes.

Cockfosters was formerly a rural country spot, but housing estates have rapidly increased in numbers during recent years and it is estimated that the population of the neighbourhood will increase by 50,000 within the next few years.—British Wireless.

AN OLD THEORY CHALLENGED

ASIA NOT BIRTHPLACE OF HUMAN RACE

Washington, July 24.

The theory of Dr. Henry Fairfield Osborn and Dr. Roy Chapman Andrews that the birthplace of the human race was in Asia has been disproved by discoveries in Africa, Professor A. S. Woodward, the British geologist, said to-day.

Dr. Woodward, in addressing the Geological Congress, described in detail some of the work that has been carried on in Africa.

Human remains and further evidences of the origin of the human race have been found in geological formations in Africa older than those found anywhere in Asia, Dr. Woodward said. These formations are considerably older geologically than those surrounding the Peking Man. There is ample evidence that the human race had its beginnings in Africa, he added.

FOREIGN LIQUORS FOR AMERICA

CLAMOUR FOR FAVOURS

Washington, July 23.

KING'S THEATRE

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THE WORLD OF WOMEN



GAY COLOURS FOR THE TABLE



MATCHED LINEN, CHINA, SMART

Decanter Set Intriguing

New York.—At fresco is bringing natural coloured linens and matching china out into the open this summer.

Whether you eat inside or out, the table that sticks to natural coloured china and simple, natural

coloured linen set with gay touches of vivid colour is considered smart just now.

The trick in getting up an unusual table setting is to have something unusual and then subordinate the rest of the setting to it.

Straw Gives Colour

Very smart and appealing is a table that plays up to two things. The first is an Italian blowglass decanter set, with straw holders striped in red and blue. The second is a pair of little straw coloured flower pots with red and blue flowers on them that hold bread sticks.

With these colourful articles as a starter, the table is laid with natural linen squares, with the same red and blue in their restrained decoration that appears in the decanter set and the flower pots. The china used is a simple, fluted design in straw coloured china.

Fruit Final Touch

Blue Italian glasses with their colourful straw bases, are particularly attractive. To give it a final touch of appeal, the little vinegar and oil jug is also of the same blue blown glass as are the tumblers and decanter.

YOUR CHILDREN.

The "Thin Child" Needs A Doctor

By Olive Roberts Barton.

If a child is too thin, if he is nervous, a bad colour and stooped-shouldered, I should take him at once to the doctor and stop trying to guess the cause.

Many mothers with such children begin to worry about worms. If they don't, some of the neighbours suggest it. Then there is a trip to the chemist and some medicine is bought and administered to the supposed sufferer.

This is, of course, wrong. In the first place, the chances are largely against it being worms. In the second place if that is the trouble the prescribing should be done by a doctor. I have seen several of such cases in my life, where home diagnosing and prescribing did harm. There are several good verminicides on the market but the amount of dosage depends upon many things and it takes a doctor to determine what and when one is needed.

What causes loss of weight, colour and good posture in a child?

Digestion Is the Vital Thing

If he is getting the variety of foods he needs, regular wholesome meals, milk, vegetables, fruits, starches, fats, carbohydrates (sugars and starches), cereals, bread and good fresh meat, eggs or fish, the usual varied diet necessary to health—if all these things are regular and he is not stuffing on sweets between meals to take away his appetite, then there is something else wrong.

On such a diet he should not be a victim of malnutrition, but he may be.

Because malnutrition does not depend altogether on what he eats. It is what he digests that counts. Many children from the best of homes who receive daily a carefully thought-out diet are still undernourished because they cannot digest.

Infections Cause Trouble

The causes of failure to take care of food are many. Perhaps one of the most common is a chronic infection somewhere. An infection that implies its poison into the blood stream and thereby robs the blood of its ability to absorb and distribute needed nourishment to the body, is something to be looked into.

The doctor will make a careful examination of the mouth and throat and nose, the most common sources of trouble. If he discovers no focus of infection there he may be able to locate it elsewhere.

Bad tonsils or teeth may be accountable, or a nose or ear condition not suspected. Infection does not necessarily mean soreness or pain. Sometimes a severe illness leaves an obscure infection that only professional tests will bring to light.

Nervousness Is Injurious

Nervous children, children who are getting too little rest and sleep, and those who are sensitive and high-strung are frequently underweight. When nerves tighten, the stomach, intestines and other digestive organs cannot do their work and too little food is digested and absorbed. Sometimes the blood itself loses the property of attracting needed chemicals.

The proper thing to do is to have a child weighed regularly—say once a month. If he is losing, or not gaining at least a little, if he is plainly a "faint" child, regardless of his appetite I should certainly see a doctor. Never let it run on.

GLORIFYING YOURSELF

By Alicia Hart

Look in your mirror often during summertime.

The intense summer light is much harder on beauty than chilly gloom of winter.

Have your mirror so that you see yourself in bright, vivid daylight. Preferably with southern or southwest light, which is the nearest equivalent to outdoor daylight, in summertime.

One secret of always being at ease about the way you feel is to make-up in the glaring sunlight. Then, no matter where you appear, you know you must look all right. The chances are that you will have the edge, because you have prepared for the worst and so when you appear with a brimmed hat or on some neighbour's porch, you are being subjected to less beauty strain than you counted on.

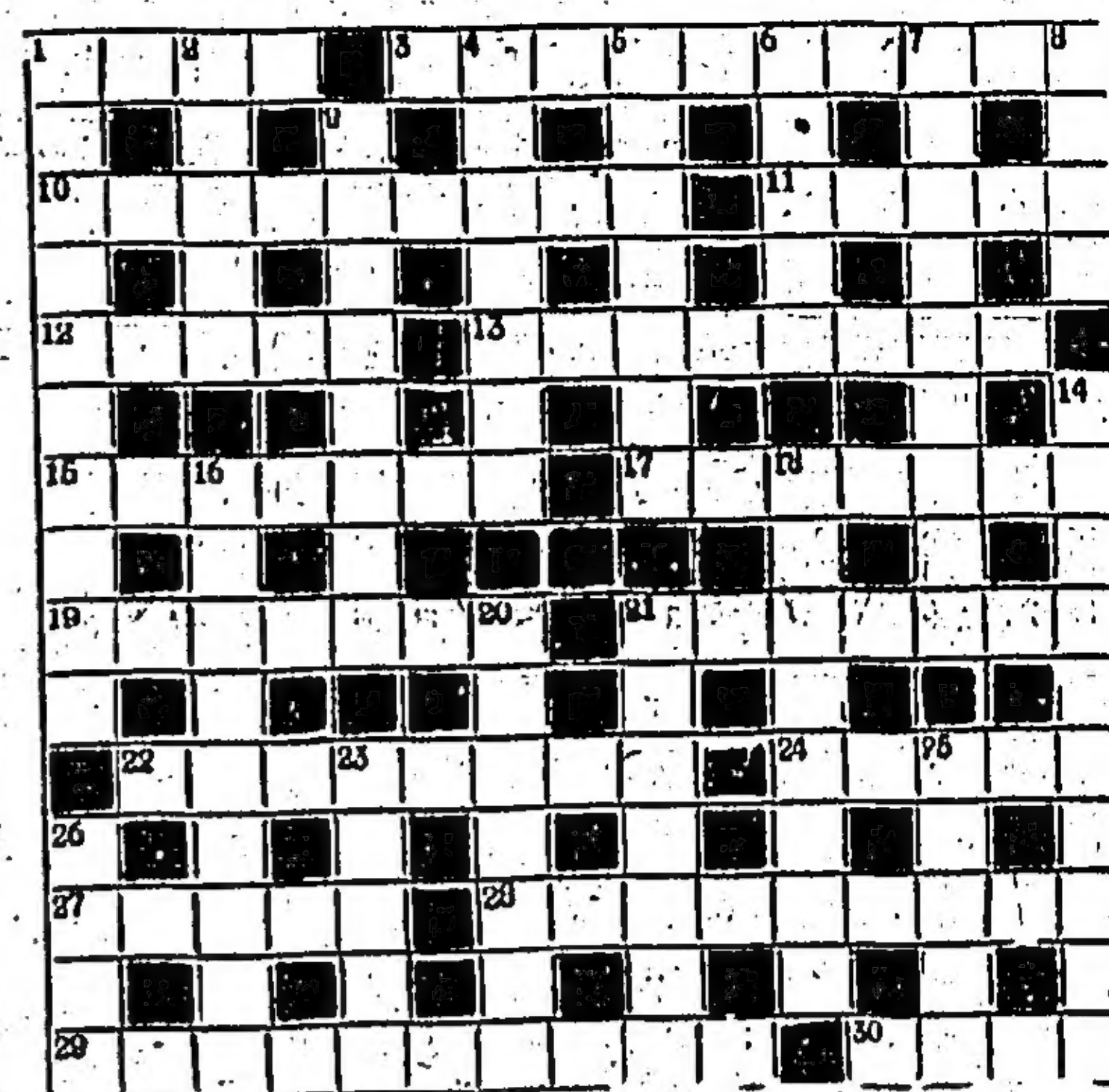
One of those magnifying mirrors may hurt a lady's vanity but it is a mighty nice thing to have. They show up every blackhead, every superfluous little hair on your face, every straggly eyebrow half that should be plucked.

By all means use one, if you have it, when you begin operating on your face for any blemish such as blackheads. It is a big help.

Also, if you make-up by a magnifying mirror and then take a last glance at yourself in your long glass, you'll be all set up at how grand you look in the ordinary mirror.

Summer beauty is a composite of minor details. The sum total is what your friends judge you by.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



- Across
- You're bound to get credit for this.
 - Orderly, though in a medical setting.
 - I've given up thinking what this is worth.
 - Turn back to her—not this one.
 - War operation that is inside.
 - Unskilled.
 - Though very upsetting, this custom is very prevalent.
 - In such silken gown the medieval lady sat round.
 - After the manner of the country.
 - Centre of great activity in a wood.
 - If you haven't been for a holiday yet you'll get a shade of colour here meanwhile.
 - You may require to obtain it before taking it.
 - Dye.
 - Sing with an organ to make sound of distress.
 - Rabelais' hero.
 - Close with intent.

- Down
- I'd try a pose (anag.).
 - Sounds a suitable material to put round the brows of heroes.
 - Making smooth.
 - They are never happier than when one puts one's foot down on their wares.
 - Hang.
 - Sticking together.

- 8 Peer.
- Likely to improve matters.
 - Engineer who made an unfeeling remark about a "coo."
 - French town.
 - Clattering.
 - You may become so, but every one else grows older.
 - With broken toes one becomes sour—not unnaturally.
 - Feminine name.
 - Another feminine name—that is, after another.
 - There's a little informal dance in the place where mechanics work.

Yesterday's Solution

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REDEEMING ROAD.

BOARD SEEKS TO BUY JAPAN'S RIGHTS

Nanking, July 31.

The Board of Directors of the

Kiaochow-Tsinnan Railway has decided to put aside Yen 2,000,000 monthly, for the purpose of redeeming the railway from the Japanese. The cost of redemption will be in the neighbourhood of \$40,000,000, Chinese currency.

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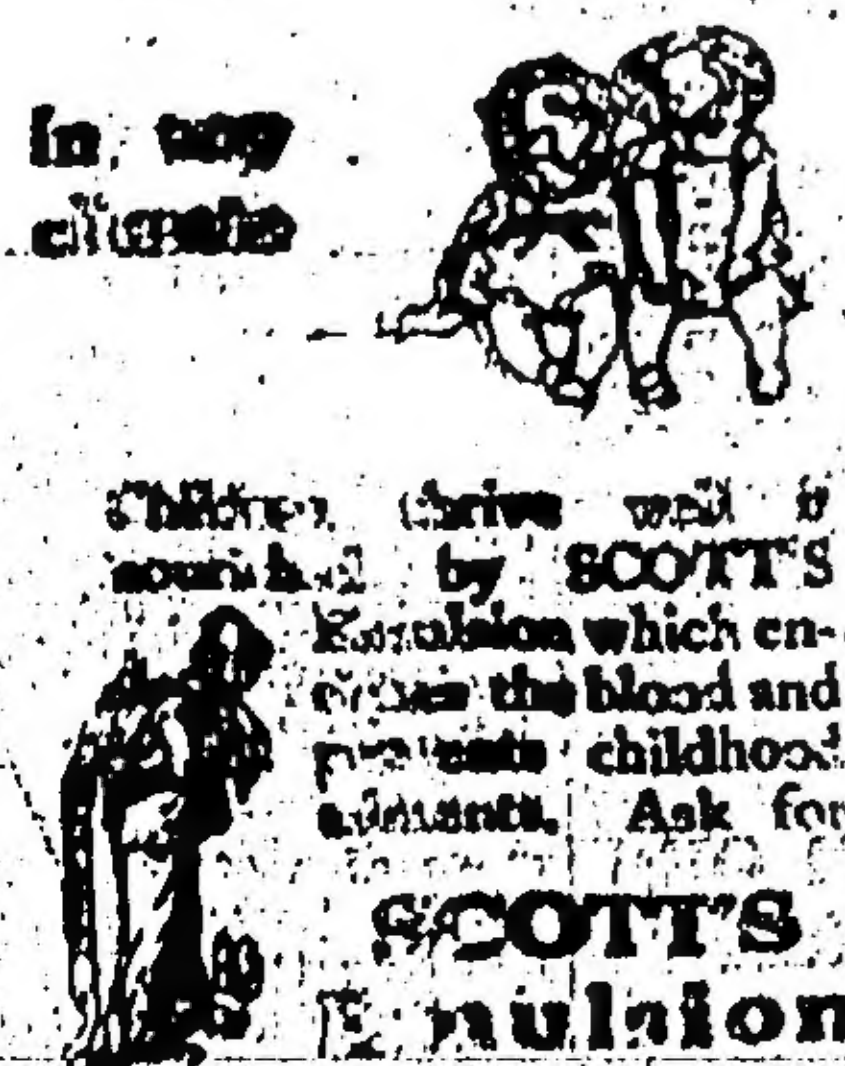
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DARLING FOOL

by MABEL McELLION

CHAPTER XLVII

They stood there, flaring at each other. The man, tall and lean and straight, his eyes darkened with something very like fury. The girl, small, golden, in a dress of some thin soft stuff, her head thrown back, defying him.

"What business is it of yours whom I marry?" Monnie O'Dare repeated defiantly.

Charles Eustace, two steps below her on the narrow flight of stairs, smiled ironically. She was so lovely in her anger. He did not answer and this enraged Monnie further.

"It's none of your affair!" she flared hotly. "You don't care what happens to me, anyhow. You never did."

"Ah, don't!" Charles' irony was marked now. Folding his arms and leaning against the balustrade, he considered this. "What makes you think that?"

Monnie was trembling with anger and excitement. She did not even bother to answer his question.

"Treating me as you have the past few weeks," she pursued, following some grievance of her own. "Coming to the office to-day and speaking to me so—so—" her voice broke indignantly on the words but she found it again after a moment.

"Then to come here to-night—to behave so badly—showing all of us just what a frightful opinion you have of me!"

Charles interrupted this tirade to ask coolly, "What makes you think I have a bad opinion of you?"

"You used to be my friend,"

Monnie rushed on, quite as if he had not spoken. "You used to be so—well, really wonderful. Last summer—last spring."

"Ah, yes. But that was then," the young man reminded her cryptically.

"I wasn't any different," Monnie reproached him. "I was the same. What's changed you?"

Charles shook his head, almost sadly.

"You've not changed? And yet you're going to marry this fellow."

"He's fine and honourable and good," Monnie defended her absent suitor. "He'll take care of me as I want to be taken care of. Anyhow, it can't possibly concern you. You and your—your Contessa."

She fairly flung the title at him. Charles, whitening under the attack, could not help smiling.

"My Contessa? I don't know what you're talking about."

"Oh, don't you? Didn't you fight a duel for her last year, didn't she break your heart?"

There, she didn't care how she hurt him. She wanted to. He deserved it!

In an instant Charles' strong fingers were gripping her arms. He was looking down at her with an expression of amusement and impatience.

"You little fool," he said in a caressing voice, which took the sting from the words. "You—darling—little fool."

Suddenly Monnie was limp in his arms, was sobbing against his shoulder. Tenderly Charles lifted her streaming face.

"I'm sorry. You know I didn't mean that. He was no longer arrogant but strangely humble. 'You know how I feel about you, Monica O'Dare.'"

Somehow, Monnie never knew

exactly how although later she tried hard to remember, they were sitting side by side on the shabby carpeted stairs. Charles' big handkerchief, smelling of tobacco and a faint whiff of cologne, was in her hands.

"My Contessa," as you call her," the young man was saying very gently, "was a beautiful and very heartless young woman who led me a pace for a time. I didn't crack up over her. I was a wreck to begin with and finding out what a shell she was just put the crowning touch on me."

"You were in love with her then," Monnie accused, feeling weak as water at the thought.

"I was—well, fascinated," explained Charles, patiently. "I was ill—not quite bright in the head, I imagine. When I found out what she was really like—using me as a stalking horse for her own purposes—I went a little gaga. I came back home, hating life, hating everybody. Then—"

She prompted him. "Yes, then?"

"I met you," Charles told her. "You know this—you must know it, Monnie. I've been in love

with you from the start."

Did she know it. At any rate it was sweet to hear him say the words. They were what her heart had been hungering for. In all this world there seemed to be only this tall young man with the fine head and the purposeful voice.

"I know where I stood with you," Charles went on. "I knew how you felt about—him."

Monnie shivered. Had she, indeed, forgotten Dan already? No, this was something quite different from what she had felt for Dan Cardigan. All that old love and longing had been mixed up, somehow, with her thwarted and poverty-stricken girlhood. Hadn't there been, in all of it, some desire to "show" Belvedere? Had she wanted Dan for what he stood for? No—no—she told herself passionately. It wasn't that. She had really loved him, with a girl's love. She had set her heart on him. They hadn't been in the least suited to each other. Their marriage would have been a disaster. But opposition had made their infatuation only stronger. With her new, sharply matured viewpoint she saw all this.

Something of all this she tried to tell her lover, haltingly.

"It's not that I've forgotten Dan," she said loyally. "I never shall. He belongs to my youth—"

Charles, wanting to laugh at

her young solemnity in this, took her two small hands in his own and said gravely:

"I never dared before to ask you if I had a chance, because of Dan. When he was alive I felt you were wholly his. And after he died, well, then, I was afraid you had dedicated yourself to his memory. You were almost like a nun, remote, spiritual. It was only after I discovered this MacKenzie chap was in the running again that I decided I might have a chance. But you were so still—so unapproachable—"

She drew herself up at this, pretending to be angry.

"It was you who were stiff. And all that talk of the girls you went about with, the parties—"

Charles laughed in delight. "Jealous little cat!"

"I'm not!"

After an interval of murmuring, Monnie, straightened saying in a scandalized tone: "Do you realize what time it must be? Mother will think we're quite mad."

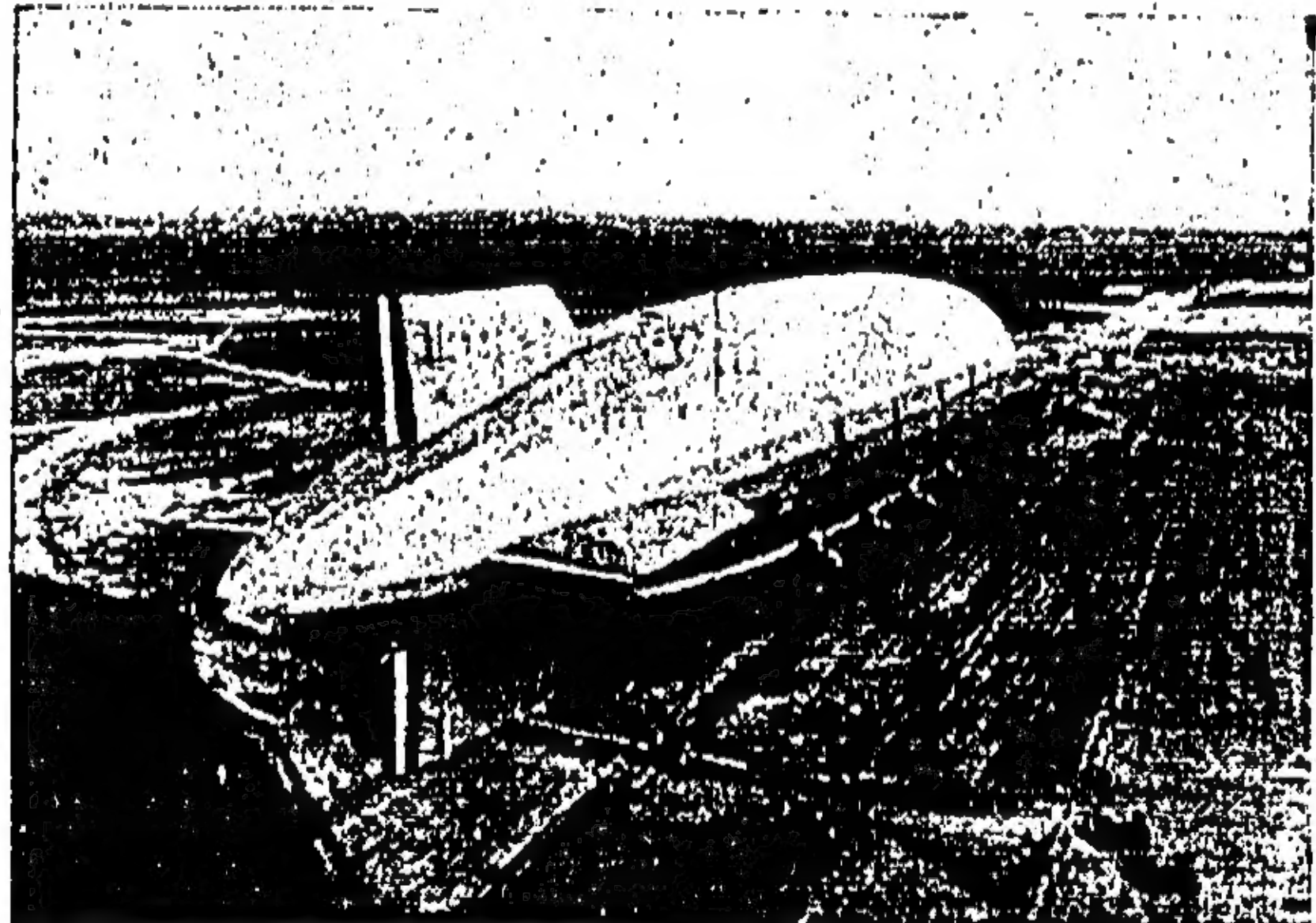
He helped her to her feet and she awayed against him.

"What am I going to say to Arthur when he calls?" she wailed, perplexed. "Oh, Charles, I was going to be so cool, so wise! I was going to do wonderful things for the family with Arthur's money."

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Fifty thousand Romans and pilgrims crowded St. Peter's Square in Rome as Pope Pius XI revived the celebration of the Feast of Corpus Christi with the first papal parade outside the Vatican since 1870. The photo shows His Holiness sitting on a platform borne by twelve papal valets while mace and torch-bearers and Noble and Swiss guards march at his side.



The U.S.S. Macon, the sister ship to the ill-fated Akron, photographed as she berthed at Lakehurst, New Jersey. (Planet News).



The scene in the Japanese Supply Headquarters in Tangku as the truce terminating all warfare between China and Japan in Manchuria was signed. (Planet News).



Twenty-four hours after Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., film star, stepped from the S. S. Bremen in New York upon his return from London to wave this cheery greeting, he was critically ill with pneumonia in a New York hospital. Young Doug had gone abroad soon after his divorce from Joan Crawford.



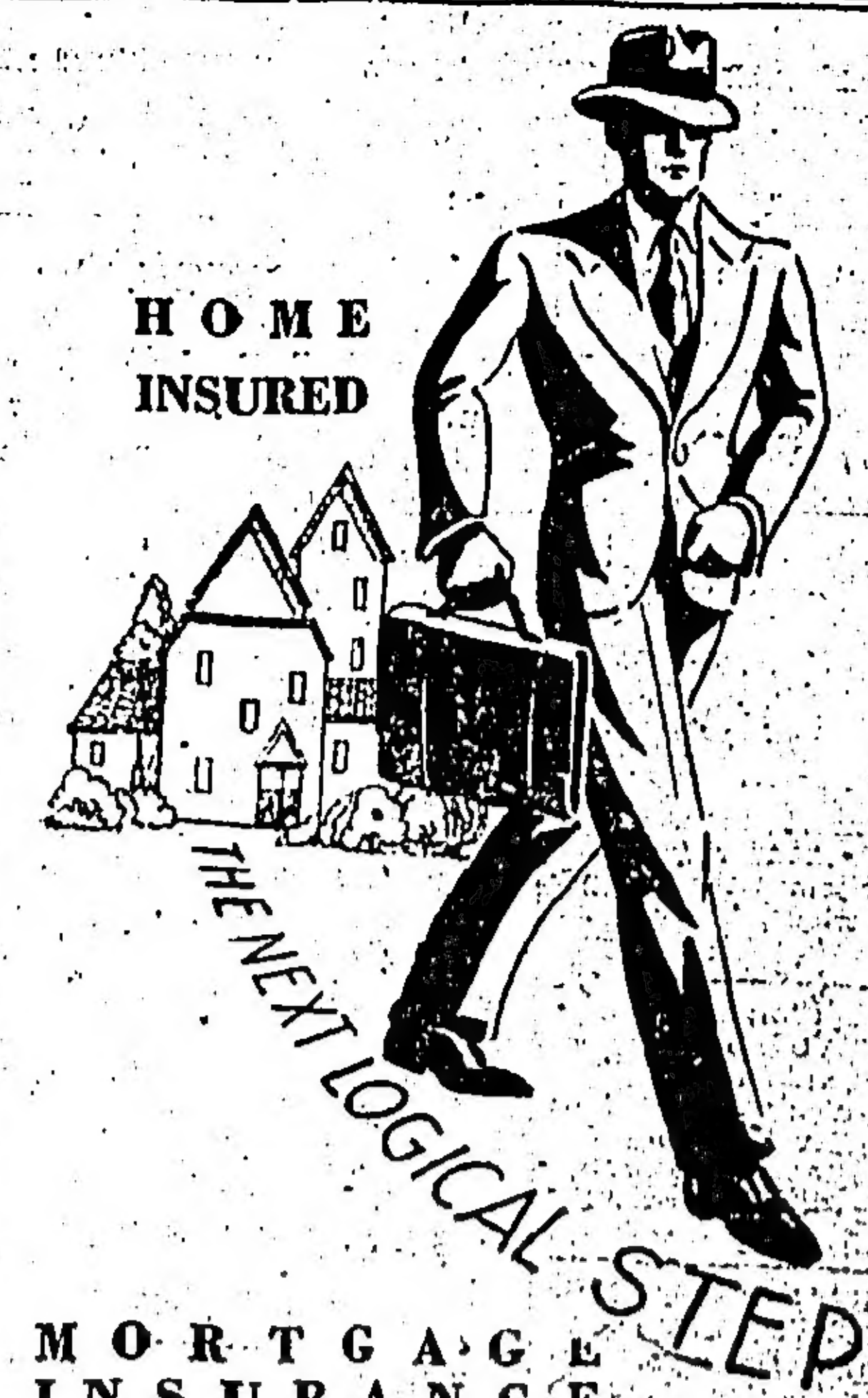
The Duchess of York smiling as she arrived at the new club for boys and girls provided by the City Parochial Foundation at Dagenham. The Duchess performed the opening ceremony. (Planet News).



Miss Gracie Fields, famous music-hall artiste, takes a motor caravan to transport her to various parts of England. Here she is seen waving goodbye as she left with a friend for a trip into the country. (Planet News).



Revellers in the Walthamstow carnival in aid of good charities, parading before rain fell to wash out the show. (Planet News).



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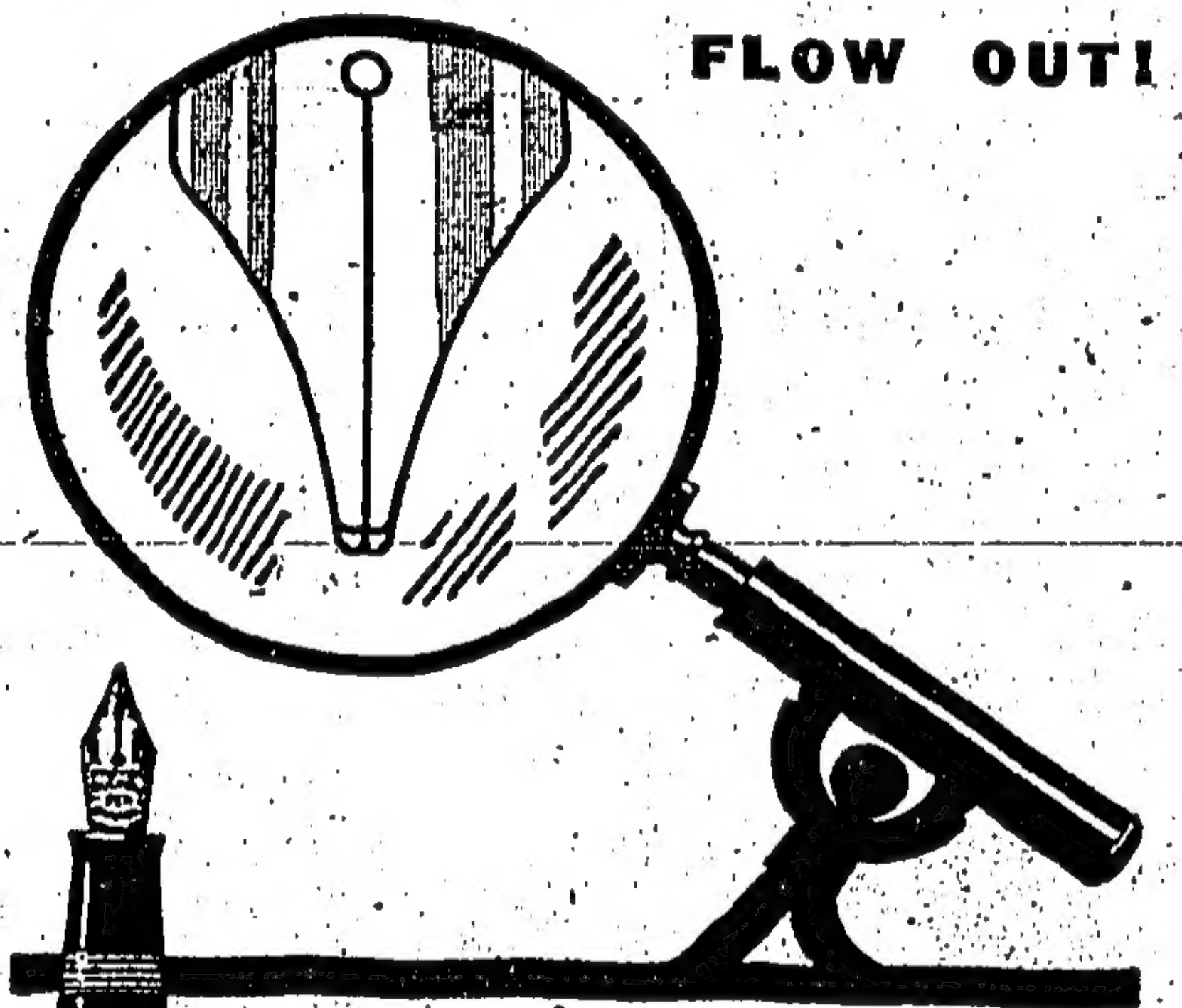
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W. L. McKENZIE,
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Hongkong, 11th July, 1933.

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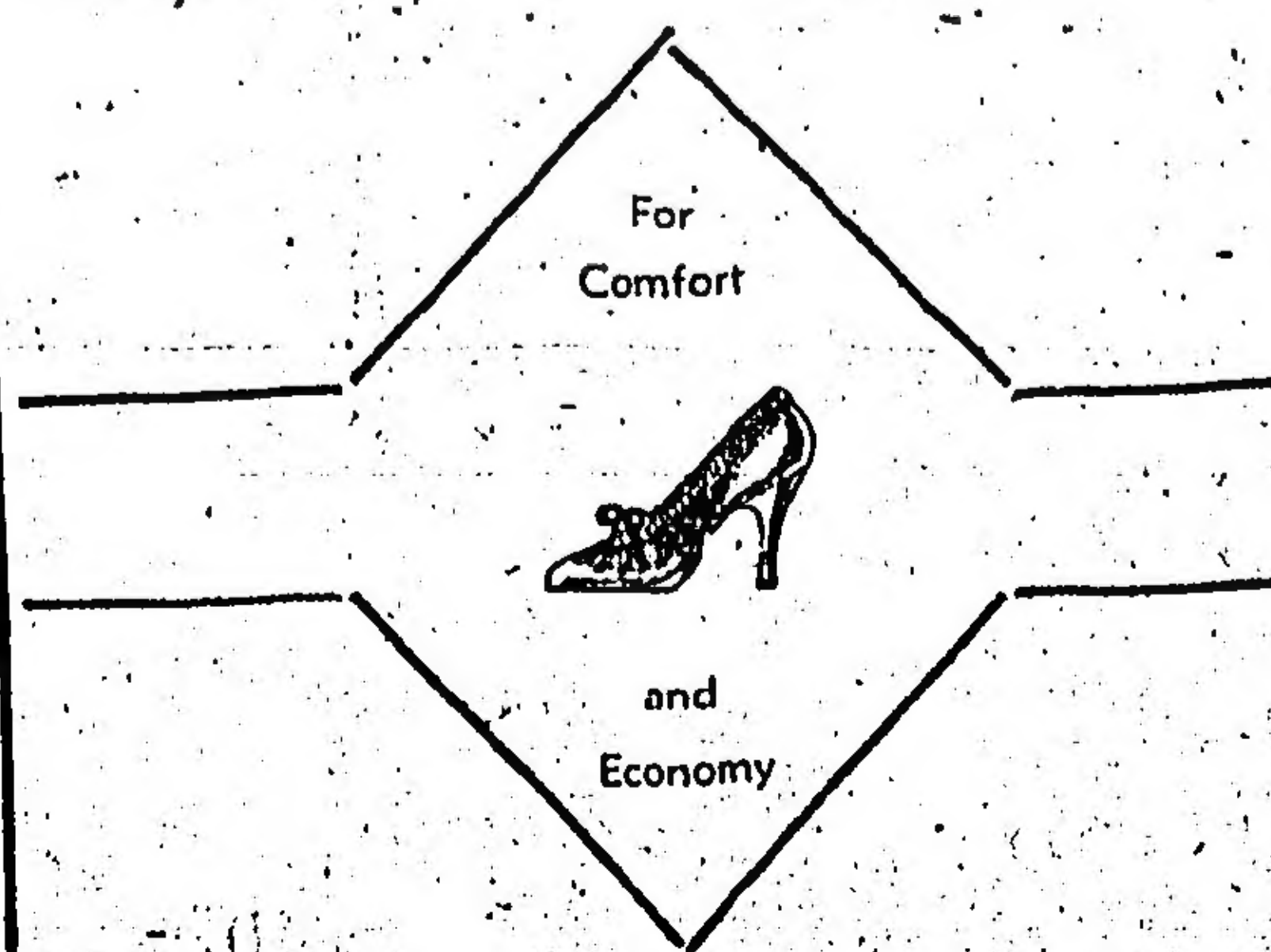
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Calcutta and Straits	Sulsang	August 1.
Amoy	Talma	August 2.
Europe via Negapatam (Letters and Papers) London, 6th July.	Conte Rosso	August 3.
London Parcels only—London, 29th June	Deucalion	August 3.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Tuesday.		
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Athos II.		Tues., Aug. 1.
East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	(Due Marseilles, 2nd September) G.P.O.	
Reg., Aug. 1, 1 p.m.	Reg., Aug. 1, 1.45 p.m.	
Letters, Aug. 1, 1 p.m.	Letters, Aug. 1, 2.30 p.m.	
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning	Tues., Aug. 1, 3 p.m.
Wednesday.		
Amoy	Sulsang	Wed., Aug. 2, 8.30 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Hector		Wed., Aug. 2.
East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	(Due Marseilles, 1st September) G.P.O.	
Reg., Aug. 2, 1 p.m.	Reg., Aug. 2, 1.45 p.m.	
Letters, Aug. 2, 1 p.m.	Letters, Aug. 2, 2.30 p.m.	
Amoy	Tainan	Wed., Aug. 2, 8.30 p.m.
Foochow via Swatow	Hoihow	Wed., Aug. 2, 3 p.m.
Thursday.		
Shanghai	Conte Rosso	Thurs., Aug. 3, 9 a.m.
Foochow via Swatow	Hopsang	Thurs., Aug. 3, 10.30 a.m.
*Japan and *Canada (Due Victoria B.C., 28th August.)	Ixion	Thurs., Aug. 3, 10.30 a.m.
Hoihow and Bangkok	Kwelyang	Thurs., Aug. 3, 10.30 a.m.
Amoy	Yingchow	Thurs., Aug. 3, 12.30 p.m.
Saigon, Mauritius, *Reunion, and *South Africa	Tinhov	Thurs., Aug. 3, 2 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Cana- da and *Europe via San Fran- cisco and *Europe via Siberia	Chichibu Maru Reg., Aug. 3, 4.15 p.m. Letters, Aug. 3, 5 p.m. (Due San Francisco 26th August)	
Friday.		
Hoihow	Kwangtung	Fri., Aug. 4, 10 a.m.
*Straits and Calcutta	Talma	Fri., Aug. 4.
Parcels, Aug. 4, Noon.	Letters, Aug. 4, 1 p.m.	
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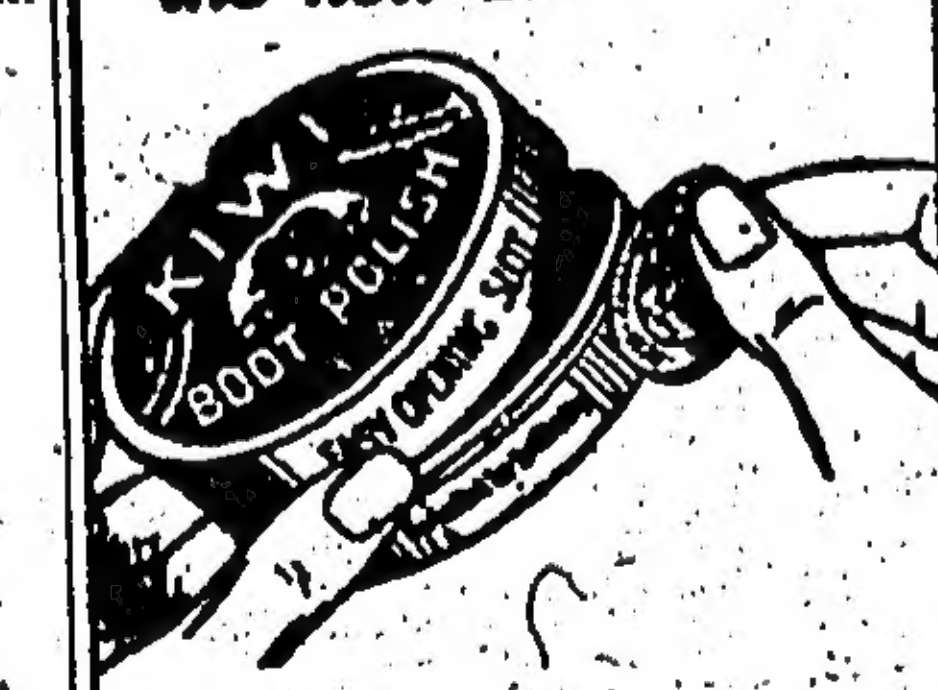
TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

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H'kong Banks, \$1830 n.
H'kong Banks, London, \$120 1/2 n.
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Chartered Bank, \$15 1/2 n.
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\$24 1/2 n.
Mercantile Bank C., \$27 1/2 n.
East Asia, \$101 b.
Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord., Sh. \$5.40 n.
China O. Fin. Pref. Sh. \$5.00 n.
Insurance.
Canton Ins., \$310 b.
Union Ins., \$335 b.
China Underwriters, \$190 b.
China Fire, \$595 n.
H.K. Fire, Ins., \$275 sa.
International Assce. Sh. \$5.60 n.
Shipping.
Douglas, \$32 1/2 b.
H.K. Steamboats, \$18 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Pref.), \$30 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Def.), \$32 1/2 b.
Shells (Bearer), 50/- n.
Union Waterboats, \$15 n.
Mining.
Benguets, \$36 1/2 b.
Kallans, 30/- n.
Langkats (Single), Sh. \$16 1/4 n.
S'hai Explorations, Sh. \$4 n.
S'hai Loans, Sh. \$8.40 n.
Raub, \$10.15 n.
Venz: Goldfields, \$5 n.
Bonquet Exp., 28 cts. s.
Docks, etc.
H.K. Wharves, \$129 1/2 n.
H.K. Docks, \$10 1/2 n.
S. China Motors A., \$10 n.
S. China Motors B., \$8 n.
Providents (old), \$3.80 n.
Providents (new), \$1.40 b.
Hongkwa Sh. \$337 n.
New Engineering, Sh. \$7 1/2 n.
Shanghai Docks Sh. \$142 n.
Lands, Hotels, etc.
H. and S. Hotels, \$7.20 b.
H.K. Lands, \$78 b.
S'hai Lands, Sh. \$31 1/2 n. x div.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.
Humphreys, \$14 n.
H.K. Realities, \$8.10 n.
Asia Realities "A" Sh. \$140 n.
Asia Realities "B" Sh. \$20 n.
Chinese Estates \$97 n.
China Estates, Sh. \$15 n.
China Debentures Sh. \$137 n.
Cotton Mills.
Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$15 s.
S'hai Cottons, Sh. \$108 n.
Zong On Textiles (S.), \$80 n.
Public Utilities.
Tramways, \$23 b. and sa.
Peak Trams, (old), \$15 1/2 n.
Peak Trams, (new), \$7 1/2 n.
Star-Forces, \$95 b.
Yauwatt Feeder (old), \$25 1/2 n.
China Lights (old), \$18 n.
China Lights (new), \$18.40 b.
H.K. Electric, \$74 n.
Macao Electric, \$33 n.
Bandakan Lights, \$10 1/4 n.
Telephones (old), \$30 1/4 n.

China Buses, Sh. \$11 1/4 n.
Singapore Tractions, 2/-b.
Singapore Pref., 15/-b.
Industrials.
Malayan Sugars \$15 n.
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$20 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. \$16 n.
Canton Ices, \$6 n.
Cements (Com.), \$6.05 b.
Cements (old), \$5 b.
Cements (new), \$1.05 n.
H.K. Ropes, \$9 n.
Stores, etc.
Dairy Farms, \$29 b.
Watsons, \$9 n.
Der A Wings, \$1 n.
Lane Crawfords, \$3.90 b.
Mackintoshes, \$21 n.
Sinceres, \$13.60 a.
Wm. Powells, \$2.10 n.
Wing On (H.K.), \$185 n.
Miscellaneous.
Amusements, \$12 1/2 n.
H.K. Entertainments, \$11 1/4 n.
S.C. Enterprises, \$3 1/4 n.
United Theatres, Sh. \$4 n.
Macao "Greyhounds," \$10 n.
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CINEMA "SHOTS" AND "SEQUENCES"**SUPREMACY OF BRITISH COMEDIES****LOVE ON WHEELS A MASTERPIECE****THE VALUE OF COOPERATION****WHEN DRAMA IS REAL**

(BY "CELLULOID")

FOR the past two or three years British film companies have been building up a reputation for dispensing comedy of a quality second to none. The reputation has been acquired through the medium of pictures of the type of *Sunshine Susie*, *The Love Race*, the Aldwych farces and comedies, *Canaries Sometimes Sing*, *Thank Just My Luck*, etc., etc., *Up for 't Coop*, *Splinters in the Navy*, and a host of others. Each has borrowed something from the other in cinematic technique, endowing mere stage plays with the peculiar qualities of the camera, the expression of sound music and the art of the scissors. The final result is to be seen at the King's Theatre to-day, where *Love on Wheels*, featuring Jack Hulbert and Gordon Harker, is enjoying a highly successful run.

THIS picture is undeniably the acme of good cinema, blended with pantomime. And indeed the mixing of these two elements is no easy sit-back-in-your-armchair job. Pantomime and tomfoolery does not lend itself to the finer points of cinema as does drama, satire or even melo-drama. The predominant problem before the director is the use of dialogue and action. The excessive use of one will probably ruin the other. The cameraman has to fasten on satirical symbols, the musical arranger to score appropriately, and the cutter to see that the sequences do not develop from the sublimely ridiculous to the bless-my-soul-how-ridiculous.

WELL, for the most part, Victor Saville and his colleagues have succeeded in accomplishing these necessities and have made *Love on Wheels* a credit to themselves and to the English film industry. One of the most pleasing improvements in home-made productions is the care being shown in the titles. First impressions are reputed to be best, and certainly it strikes true when Lubitsch has made himself celebrated on the strength of his masterly titling and opening sequences. To throw the audience immediately into the atmosphere of the picture and its story is Lubitsch's first thought. It is a pleasure to see that Victor Saville is not afraid to follow such a lead.

LOVE ON WHEELS boasts some opening scenes which compare favourably with anything seen on the modern screen. Here Greenbaum, the photographer, has worked with consummate skill, obtaining sharp angles, clever lighting effects and real atmosphere. The theme is the awakening of a new day. Mamoulian treated it in his classic *Love Me To-Night*, when he depicted the birth of a morn in Paris. Saville does not obtain the pulsating rhythm of Mamoulian, though this is due to the fact that he gives the subject entirely different treatment. Its effect, however, is equally as pleasing. There are quick cuts from object to object, each having a delightfully whimsical relationship, such as the successive shots of the wife taking reducing treatment, the boy cleaning his teeth, the air being pumped into the tyre of the motor bus, and the corpulent old gentleman performing his breathing exercises. It is not a deep complicated study in expressionism, but it forms a perfect introduction to the central characters and to the story.

WITH the plot naturally as thin as water, the appeal of the film automatically depends on the ability of the players and the development of details by the technicians. The harmonious working of these two sections plays a leading part in the success of the picture. Hulbert for instance smiles his broadest smile and the photographer improves upon it with a clever close-up. When Hulbert dances his feet are



Elissa Landi, Ernest Truier and Marjorie Rambeau as they appear together in "The Warrior's Husband" a coming attraction at the King's Theatre.

YOU CAN SEE THESE TO-DAY.

Kings:—"Love on Wheels"
Queen's:—"Song of the Eagle"
Central:—"The Unknown Singer"
Majestic:—"70,000 Witnesses"
Oriental:—"A Devil with Woman"
Star:—"Man About Town"
World:—"Reaching for the Moon"

WEDNESDAY.

Queen's:—"The Woman Accused"
Central:—"Goodnight Vienna"

THURSDAY.

King's:—"Wild Girl"
Majestic:—"Secrets of the French Police"

caught in all sorts of positions by the focus of the camera, whilst the cutter adds beauty to the shots with some smart scissor work. Possibly the best example of this cohesive work between actors and technicians is to be seen in the drunk scenes. The whole thing is marvellously acted by Hulbert and Harker, and brilliantly treated and dressed up by their assistants.

FROM the technical viewpoint I felt there were only one or two flaws and those confined entirely to cutting. The sequence of the chase in the departmental store could have been vastly reduced and would have lost nothing. I imagine Saville tried to capture some of the art infused into a similar scene by Rene Clair, but the camera does not assist him to the same extent, and there is too much repetition. Gordon Harker is amusing, but I tired of seeing Jack Hulbert and Leonora Corbett running in opposite directions to find each other.

THE acting is splendid. Jack Hulbert and Gordon Harker made an ideal combination. Harker has proved himself indispensable to the light comedy screen and is without equal in his diversity of portrayals. Jack Hulbert's dancing is always a sheer joy, and although he may not appeal to one as being quite so riotously funny as in *Jack's The Boy*, this may largely be accounted for by the presence of Gordon Harker, who steals a lot of the laughs originally intended for Hulbert.

THE supporting cast maintains the standard of the principals. Edmund Gwenn, now celebrated in Hongkong for his delineation of the Mayor in *Tell Me To-Night*, adds to his reputation and Leonora Corbett is perfectly charming. *Love on Wheels* is undoubtedly the film of the week.



Glamorous Joan Crawford as she appears in "Rain", a brilliant picture which co-features Walter Huston.

THERE is nothing like extracts from real life for screen drama. Story-book drama hardly ever gets beyond melo-drama. The melo-drama which "Snapper" so neatly describes as being something which you are perfectly prepared to believe could happen, but which never would. It is the reality of *Song of the Eagle* which makes the picture so powerful and impressive. Just flashes of what have now become historical incidents in the life of America, when handled efficiently by Hollywood, become infused with a drama which no newspaper description or orator could ever give them.

I found *Song of the Eagle* more fascinating as a searching study of America in a political, economic, industrial and social catynism, than its advertised appeal of being the "tender" take of two lovers groping for happiness. In its final analysis the picture attempts to offer suggestions for the wiping out of the beer racketeer of 1933 by the law abiding brewers selling legalised 3.2. And the solution offered makes a most significant gesture, equivalent to saying "well, the Arm of the Law has failed, now let the public take a hand." So we find the police unofficially condoning an attack on the racketeers by an army of hired unemployed, but refusing to take part in the affair themselves.

BUT it is the earlier scenes which are the most impressive. The panorama of big events which have filled the pages of American history since 1916. The prohibition of beer, the war, the return of the soldiers to find the public houses closed and the Eighteenth Amendment in force. The rise of the gangsters and racketeers, the election of President Roosevelt and the passing of the Beer Bill. These are pictorial expressions of facts. They are vividly presented by means of highly advanced cinematic craft. The individual actors fade into insignificance beside the drama of the incidents. It is brilliantly portrayed.

AFTER this we have to get down to suppositions and fancies, and the purely personal element enters the film. Where before the picture was national in character it becomes individual. The schemings of Charles Bickford as the gangster leader, the struggle for honest existence by Jean Hersholt, Richard Arlen, Mary Brian and Louise Dresser, the murder of Jean Hersholt and the subsequent revenge obtained by Louise Dresser. These become the essentials of the picture, and one somehow feels that the dynamic appeal of the film has been lost. Nevertheless full marks must be given to the players for their able work. There is not a single weakness in the cast, whilst the technical side always keeps up its amazingly efficient standard. *Song of the Eagle* is in many respects an extremely good picture. Its defects are slight and it is a splendid example of American polish.

HERBERT Wilcox has discovered many other stars, but none having a potential brighter future than Anna Neagle, who is to be seen at the Central Theatre to-morrow in *The Little Damsel*, and who is appearing personally in one of the most attractive prologues yet devised for any talking picture. The idea of this prologue is to illustrate the history of *The Little Damsel* from its presentation as a play at Wyndham's Theatre in 1909 and its exhibition as a silent film at Gatti's Music Hall in 1916 to its appearance as a talking picture at the Plaza in 1933.

ANNA Neagle played in the greatly successful film, *Good Night* (Continued on Page 2.)

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1933.

COAL DUMP

An interesting suggestion has been made as an outcome of the agitation concerning the coal dump nuisance in Chatham Road. It is that part of the vacant land on the harbour side of the railway should be utilised for the new Central British School. When the reclamation scheme in this region was embarked upon, the purpose in mind was the construction of warehouses. There were dreams of a through railway route to Calais and the development of Kowloon as a great railway depot, the terminus of thousands of miles of railway linking the Far East with Russia, Europe and Great Britain, ousting the sea route in importance for the carriage of goods. That was many years ago. Transport facilities have developed along lines which have caused those ambitions to fade peacefully away and while a beneficial effect will doubtless be experienced when the Canton-Hankow Railways completed, it is more or less taken for granted that the original conception will never materialise and, it is suggested, the land owned by the railway from Holt's Wharf to Chatham Road Bridge will never be required for the purpose for which it has been reserved for many years. If this view of the situation is an accurate one, it seems a defeatist sort of attitude to permit the area to be used as a coal dump, hence the suggestion for exploiting it usefully. To-day, there are few projects more urgent, in the public interest, than the provision of a new Central British School. The accommodation, or lack of it, in the existing building, is little short of a scandal. It caters for children from both sides of the Harbour; it is grossly overcrowded; many applicants for education there are turned away because there is no room to squeeze in even another one. Adding to this problem is the increasing tendency for more and more Europeans to make their permanent home in the Colony and to educate their children here. The Government is seeking to meet the requirements of the situation and has already allocated a site for new school buildings in the Prince Edward Road district. But there are many objections to this site. It will involve Hongkong children in hours of travelling. Considerable site preparation will be necessary. On the railway ground, construction work could be commenced almost at once, with ample space for playing grounds and swimming pools.

NOTES OF THE DAY

The various considerations submitted to Government in efforts to secure a reversal of the decision to turn the Chinese swimming clubs out of the North Point district appear to have made little impression. If we may judge from the report that Chaiwan Bay has been offered as an alternative site. The offer seems much in keeping with the original decision to resume North Point. It ignores all the peculiarities of the special needs of the Chinese who make use of the swimming clubs. Chiefly does it ignore the transport problem. And, when all is said and done, the issue has arisen solely because the government has adopted a policy of forcing on development, of stimulating the Colony's hothouse growth, of encouraging land speculation. It does not cause pleasant reflections.

WHY BOROTRA DID NOT PLAY.

Judging from observation passed during the week-end, there appeared to be a popular misconception in Hongkong regarding the rules relating to the Davis Cup. It was suggested that Lacoste would play Jean Borotra in the final singles in an attempt to snatch a victory. Unfortunately perhaps for France, Lacoste, the non-playing captain, had no such power to produce a dramatic climax. Were such a power invested in the rules, and Borotra had been willing to rescind his earlier decision, there is not the slightest doubt that he would have been against Perry in the final rubber. But the regulations prevented any switchback work of this kind, definitely laying down that 24 hours before each contest, the four singles matches and the doubles match constitute two separate contests, the teams shall be nominated. Only if one of the singles team falls ill or is in any way incapacitated is it possible to introduce a substitute player. Borotra, therefore, could only have played in the singles if Merlin had become incapacitated. It is, perhaps, as well to clear up the point, or it might seem that Lacoste "gifted" the tie to Britain by ignoring an obviously attractive proposition.

SHOESHINE SIR?

The method of ameliorating the lot of Hongkong's waifs and strays by assisting them to become shoeshine boys, is praiseworthy, but it is a method which can easily overdone. Of recent months the number of youngsters so employed has grown very considerably. A check taken yesterday along only the Pedder Street and Des Voeux frontages of Jardine's Building revealed no less than twelve shoe-cleaning outfits. At one place there were as many as eight in one group, eagerly importuning passers-by for custom. Nobody wishes to discourage them from earning an honest living, but they should not be permitted to become a nuisance.

BRITISH POLITICS

British political activities have brought some interesting developments lately. In the first place it has been clearly shown that the men who control the British Labour organisation, both on its political and its trade union side, are very far from having the revolutionary temper. Some of them are profoundly conservative in their instincts and habits. And these leaders will not easily be displaced. They know that when explosive elements flare up from time to time at party conferences they can afford to proceed quietly till the storm has blown over. No doubt a critical moment will occur a few years hence when Socialist leaders are returned to power by the electorate with a strong independent majority. When that happens—as it surely will happen—it is not likely that these men, whose whole concern will be not to shock a nation which has just declared confidence in them, will proceed to swift revolutionary action. The more possible danger is that Conservatives, fearing such consequences, may throw themselves into the arms of Sir Oswald Mosley and really

THOMAS BURKE ON

OTHER PEOPLE'S PLEASURES

It is a common belief with most of us that other people never really enjoy themselves. They only appear to do so. We are certain of this because we are certain that nobody could possibly find enjoyment in the idiotic things other people do. Other people's pleasures are to us as incomprehensible, and almost as obnoxious, as their vices. We listen to their talk about their pleasures as we would listen to candidates for a mental home.

I am old enough to remember when the car came in, and when all those who were not smitten with the car craze were emphatically announcing that nobody was going to tell them there was any pleasure in motoring. Motorists were as cranky as their cars; they only pretended to enjoy it.

I have the same feeling when I watch people playing bridge. Poor things, I feel; poor, unhappy things. With all the many real pleasures to be had, the best they know is to sit round a table and play cards.

And they feel the same about me.

I once asked a cartomaniac, who was looking for a fourth, and couldn't find one, to give it up and come with me to a concert. He didn't answer the invitation. He just looked at me with a puzzled frown, and walked away from the poor blighted creature whose idea of pleasure was listening to a lot of men scraping musical instruments.

I have a friend who in all general matters is wholesome and intelligent. But I am certain that he has a kink and will one day crack up.

The greatest pleasure that man knows, one that he loses no opportunity of indulging in, is to sit in the gallery of the House of Commons and listen to its debates.

He does not make a guilty secret of it, or confess it with shame. He will tell you openly, as a man will tell you about his rose-bushes, that he has spent three evenings of a week at the House, and thoroughly enjoyed them.

Then there are two old men I know who live together in a large house and have plenty of money for all the pleasures of mind and body. And what is their notion of pleasure? They have knocked the top floor of their house into one large room, and there, with three hundred pounds' worth of model railway lines and tunnels and signal-boxes and rolling-stock—there they spend their evenings.

There are those who have a right idea of pleasure, and yet perversely poison it. To spend a summer evening lying in a punt on a beautiful reach of an English river is a sensible thing to do. That, I believe, is true pleasure; because I do it myself.

But there are some who, given this pleasure, will turn it to pain. They will bring to it their portable gramophones and befoul the sanctuary with dance-band music and hoarse voices moaning about

the wrongs done to them by their untrue love-birds.

And they say they enjoy it, and wonder at those others who say they enjoy lying in a punt in complete silence.

If you hear two acquaintances describing to each other what they did over the week-end you will often note that each regards the other as an oddity.

"What did you do Sunday?"

"Had a lovely day. Sat in the garden the whole day and only moved for meals."

"Good lord!"

"What did you do?"

"Made a real day of it. Got the car out early—went over to some friends at Cookham. Played tennis till lunch. Then we all went off to Weybridge. Had a round of golf—then went on to some friends at Hampton. Had tea there and went on to Richmond and picked up a couple of friends and took 'em to town for dinner. After dinner went on to the Fandango Dance Club. Danced there till one and had supper, then drove the whole party home."

"Lord, what a day!"

Millions of our fellow-creatures seem to find pleasure in playing games or in watching horses run, or in watching automobiles race; yet to some of us these things are the ultimate pit of boredom.

To listen to the talk of golf enthusiasts, cricket enthusiasts, racing enthusiasts is to set one wondering whether one is the only sane creature left in a mad world or the only mad creature in a sane world.

I have friends given to all these things, and I puzzle them as much as they puzzle me. They cannot understand why I don't "do things" and are always trying to get me out to do things in the firm belief that, sitting about as I do, I must be having a miserable time.

One of them has for years been trying to introduce me to a real pleasure—a pleasure surpassing wine, woman and song. So he says. This is

to go up to the Peak district, take off most of your clothes, put on a suit of overalls, and then crawl on your stomach through narrow passages into

dene-holes and caverns. And then search for more passages to crawl through. And do this for hours and hours. I asked him why one did this and he said: "Well . . . the—er—the fun."

A week or so ago I was travelling to the South Coast by a slow train. The only other man in my carriage was a broad-shouldered, farmer-type of man. He sat moodily with folded arms, staring out of the window. I had my usual assortment of seven or eight daily and weekly papers, and as he looked bored and restless I said: "Would you care for something to read?"

"Something to read?"

"Something to read?"

He looked at me; then at my collection of papers; then again at me. He spoke one word in a tone that put me and my pleasures into their true place. "R—READ!"

The Very Idea!

PUBLIC SPRUICKING

BY EDDIE KELLY, ORATOR

SPEAKING—of public speaking, apropos of nothing and the same to you, we have seriously taken up the study of elocution.

In these days of economic depression, voice production has had to face its difficulties. In common with other industries, and we feel that it is about time someone of note should give birth to a really fine speech, delivered in the old Gladstonian style, c.o.d., and all complaints to be addressed to the Public Prosecutor.

Johnson's flowing periods originated from a close acquaintance with the Old Apple Tree, and we may say with due modesty that we ourselves have already been called to the bar where we have attended without a stop except for an occasional coma.

It may be recalled that that fine orator, Cicero and Howl split an infinitive way back in the B.C.s. When Women were Women and wore their own pants. Cicero and Howl was not a woman, though that would be a compliment compared with some of the things he was called.

Us elocutionists, or "cuties" as we permit ourself to call ourselves when we are on good terms with ourself, have to sacrifice a whole lot for the sake of our art. We lost our tonsils in our early teens and a whole lot of face at our first public meeting.

Every budding Socrates nowadays must stand on a soap-box before he can address the great unwashed, but, to be candid, we found it better to bring our wee bit of soap and towel with us.

We recall our first after dinner speech with the same mixed feelings that we remember our last for it was the only one we made.

We have always maintained that we should not have mixed our metaphors if our host had not mixed our drinks, nor should we have referred to his wife as a blushing dandelion if we had not spoken with the truthful tongue of inebriety.

But to pass on from this painful subject we come to our next public appearance, which was before the magistrates. We'll be seeing you there.

LONDON CALLING

We are waiting for the day when Hongkong will be linked up with the Homeland by radio telephone. Boy, oh boy, oh boy, oh boy, won't it be fine when we can ring up the Girl Friend and tell her how we're missing her? At \$30 a minute it would go something like this:

US: Darling—
HER: Hello, darling, is that you. Guess who I saw yesterday. Do you remember Mr. Whaletooth, who used to nurse me when I was a baby. Well—

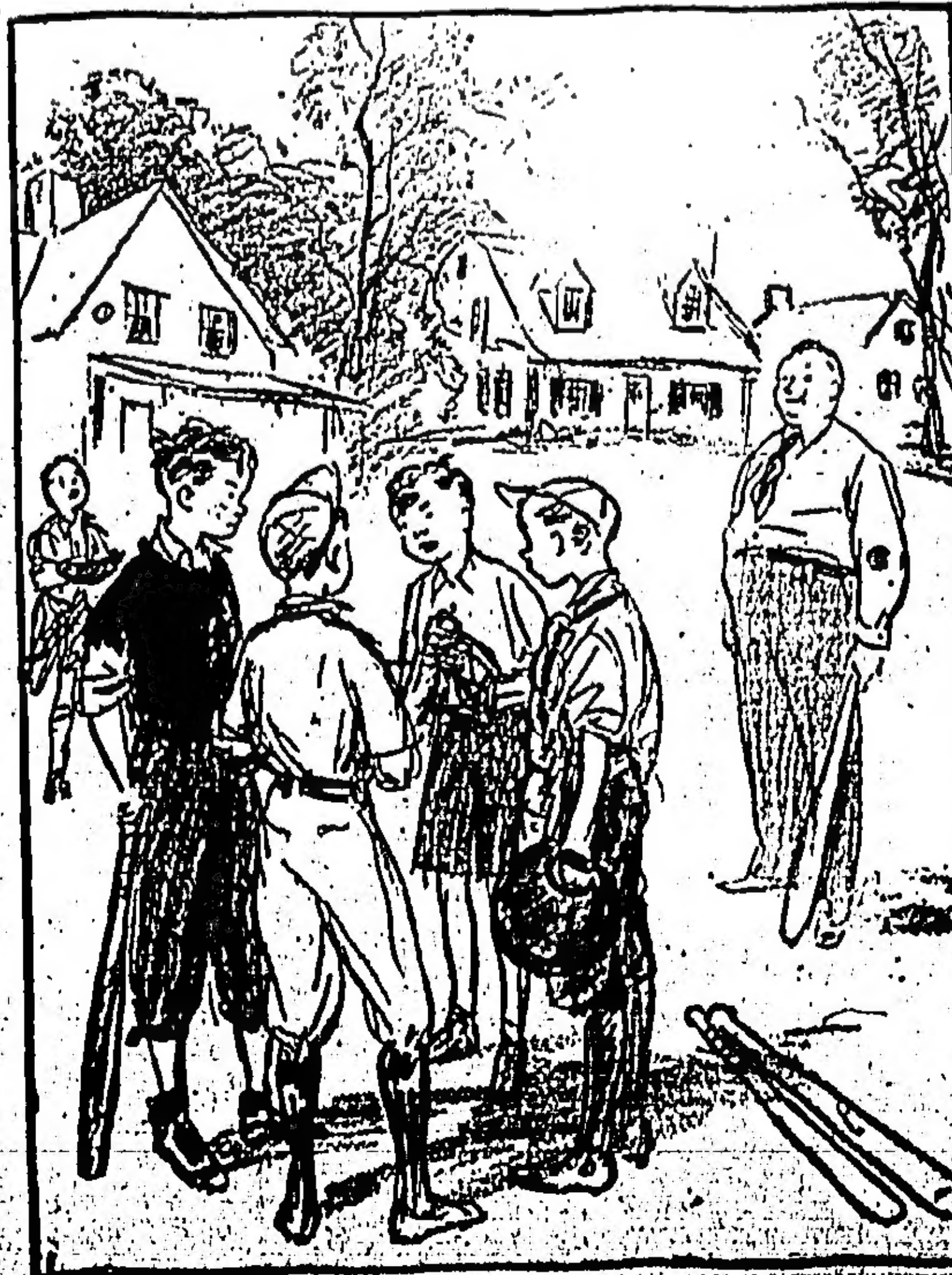
US: Darling—
HER: No, I didn't think you'd remember him. As a matter of fact, now I come to think of it, I don't believe you ever met him. Now I wonder who it was that I mistook for you. That's really fu—

US: But, darling—
HER: Any. Anyway, we had quite a long chat, and, dear, I mentioned about you being in that awful Hongkong, and he told me that he used to live there about twenty years ago, only he had to leave because the police closed all the cabarets, or something silly like that. I didn't know there were any cabarets in Hongkong, dear, but I suppose—
US: (urgently) Yes, darling, but

HER: Oh, he must be right then. Anyway, we had some tea, and I took him shopping. Eddie, dear, I bought the most marvellous pair of pyjamas, all for you when we're married, dear (giggles). It's pale pink organdie, with white stripes and pink spots, and has the cutest buckle in the front. Mother said—
US: But, dearest, how—
HER: Mother? Oh, she's alright, although she still feels the same about me marrying you. But, never mind, dear, I'll do it whatever she says. Anyway, about the pyjamas, she said—

EXCHANGE: Your three minutes are up. Do you want an extension?
HER: Bother, Eddie, our time is up, and I've hardly had a chance to say a word to you. You haven't told me a thing about yourself either, dear, and I—

EXCHANGE: Do you want an extension?
HER: I think it's awfully mean of you. Here I've been looking forward to this phone call for—
EXCHANGE: I must cut you off if you don't take an extension. —that's a whole week and I think—



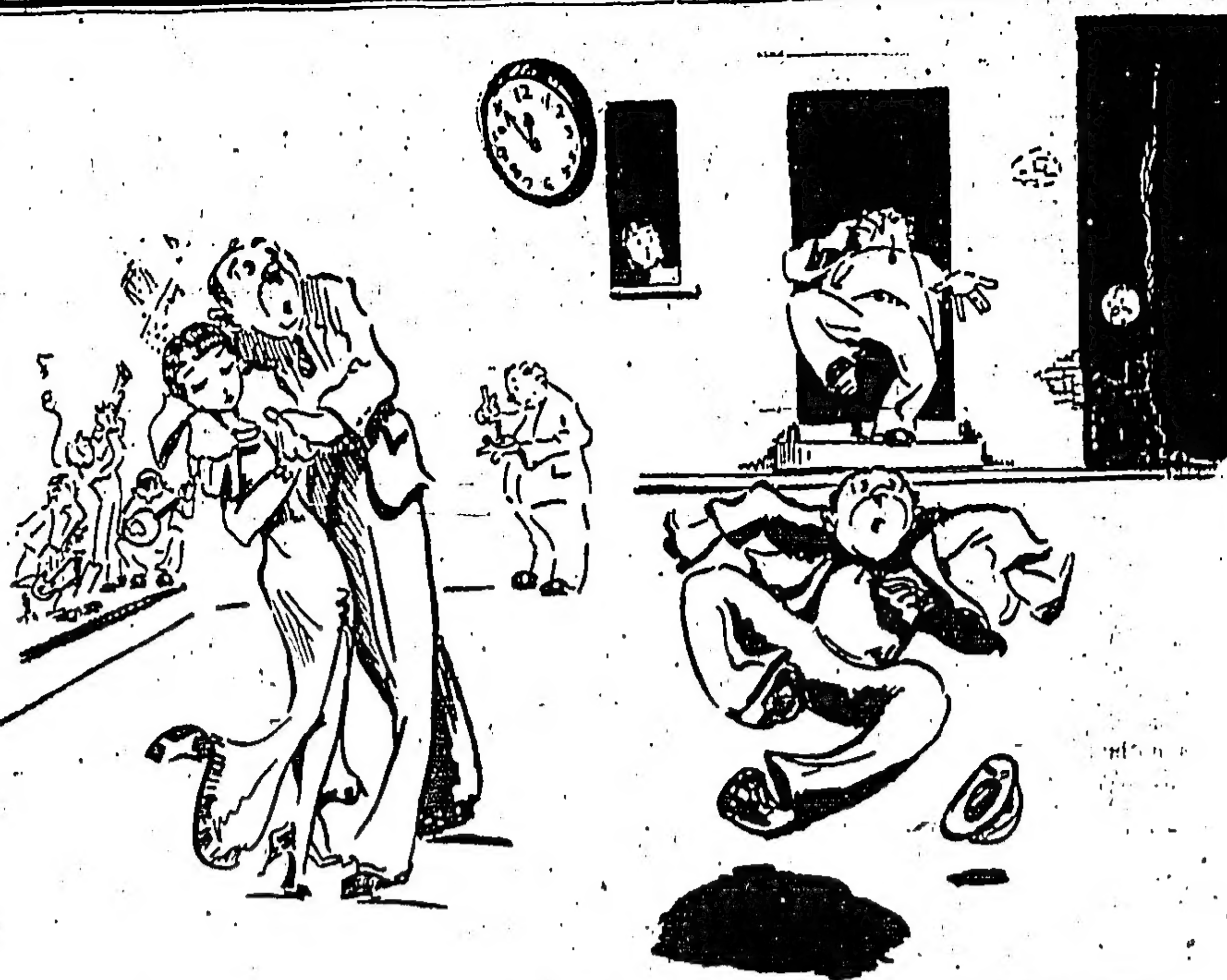
NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S MARKET EASY

According to Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was easy yesterday. Business done 3,000,000 shares. The Wall Street Journal reports: Steady selling and lack of demand declined stocks as much as 1 to 10 points and the session was dull due to a break in grain prices on account of bullish European crop news which nullified local bullish news. The market, however, rallied slightly at the close owing to a rally in grain prices which was caused by rumours that an effort was being made to peg grain prices. Later: The break in stock prices is regarded as nominal and an anticipated secondary reaction hence longs held aloof and shorts sold. Cable received this morning from Swan, Culbertson & Fritz, New York. Stocks: The market met with good resistance at critical levels and it seems likely to have a fair rally from here. Wheat: Liquidation carried wheat to fixed minimums. News bullish but ignored, restrictive measures causing this action may go further. Cotton: Reported reluctance on the part of the Administration to use its inflationary powers and to await results of present measures together with apprehension on increased hedge selling. There was poor demand and weakness in exchange caused prices to decline. Cable from Washington D.C. July 31, 1933. Be-leave prospects are good for continued business improvement into the late Fall. The Administration is pushing industry code, agricultural agreements, and public works program, holding further inflation in reserve. Security and commodity prices are likely to advance more slowly. Cable received at 10:55 p.m. during our Night Service from Swan, Culbertson & Fritz, New York. Irregular opening trend may continue to-day, but on dips stocks can be bought for trading turns. Cotton: Additional rains reported in the Western belt. Wheat: Cables firm, cooler but no rain in Canada. Minimum prices restrict buyers. Favour purchases on any further decline.

Dow-Jones averages:

	July 28	July 31
30 Industrials	47.81	45.46
20 Rails	31.50	29.90
40 Bonds	88.23	88.02
Alaska Juneau Mining Co.	25 1/2	22 1/2
Allied Chemical & Dye	117	115 1/2
American Can	85	82 1/2
Amer. and Foreign Power	12 1/2	11
American Metal Co.	17	16 1/2
American Smelting	33 1/2	31 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	123 1/2	121
American Tobacco	84 1/2	83 1/2
American Waterworks	20 1/2	20 1/2
Anacosta Copper	16 1/2	16 1/2
Atlas Corp.	14 1/2	13 1/2
Automobile	65 1/2	62 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	28 1/2	26
Bethlehem Steel	40 1/2	38 1/2
Borden Company	32 1/2	30 1/2
Borg Warner	15 1/2	13 1/2
Canadian Pacific Railway	15 1/2	15 1/2
Case, J.I.	70	61 1/2
Chase National Bank	28 1/2	27 1/2
Chesapeake Cor- poration	43	39
Chrysler	33 1/2	30 1/2
Columbia Gas and Electric	20 1/2	19 1/2
Consolidated Gas of New York	53 1/2	51 1/2
Corn Products	78	75 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	13 1/2	12 1/2
Drug Inc.	48 1/2	47 1/2
Du Pont de Nemours	70 1/2	67 1/2
Eastman Kodak	77 1/2	76
Electric Bond and Share	25 1/2	23 1/2
General Electric	23 1/2	22 1/2
General Motors	30 1/2	28 1/2
General Railway Sign	37 1/2	35 1/2
Gold Dust	22 1/2	20 1/2
Goodyear Tire and Rubber	30 1/2	28 1/2
International Cement	20 1/2	18 1/2
International Har- vester	34 1/2	31 1/2
International Nickel	18	17 1/2
International Tel. & Tel.	15 1/2	14 1/2
Johns Manville	45	42
Kennecott Copper	20 1/2	18 1/2
Lehigh Corporation	67 1/2	63 1/2
Liggett and Myers	88 1/2	88 1/2
Loew's Inc.	24	22
Lorillard P.	21 1/2	20 1/2
McIntyre Procepine Mines Ltd.	32 1/2	31 1/2
Montgomery Ward	21 1/2	20 1/2
National City Bank	32 1/2	30 1/2
National Distillers	70 1/2	67 1/2
New York Central	43 1/2	40 1/2
North American Co.	20 1/2	18 1/2
Owens-Illinois Glass Co.	70 1/2	67
Packaging Gas & Electric	27 1/2	26 1/2
Pennsylvania Rail- road	34 1/2	33 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	12 1/2	12 1/2
Reynolds Tobacco	48 1/2	46 1/2
Sears Roebuck	30 1/2	28 1/2
Shell Union	8 1/2	7 1/2
Secor Vacuum Corporation	11 1/2	11 1/2
Southern California Edison	23 1/2	22 1/2
Standard Gas and Electric	14 1/2	13 1/2
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.	35 1/2	34 1/2
Texas Corporation	20 1/2	19 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	20 1/2	19 1/2
Union Carbide and Carbon	42	40 1/2
Union Pacific	114	110
United Aircraft and Trans.	38 1/2	36 1/2
United Corporation	10	9 1/2
United Glass Inc.	10	9 1/2



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Weeping and Nashing of Teeth

Amazing Affair At Bargain Hunt

Paris. The amazing spectacle of hundreds of fashionably attired women weeping bitterly, with handkerchiefs to their eyes, completely held up traffic in a thoroughfare in Nice recently.

A new store, which had been besieged by an army of housewives anxious to obtain bargains, was thronged about teatime by a closely pressing eager mass of people when suddenly pandemonium was caused by a gas whose fumes swiftly filled the vast building with its many stories.

Cries were raised as the shoppers made a frantic dash towards the exits holding handkerchiefs and dresses to their mouths. Many of them dropped their treasured bargains in their hurried stampede towards the doors.

PRACTICAL JOKE?

A crowd collected on the pavement where the women, a number of whom were seized with terrible fits of coughing, were excitedly discussing their alarming experiences.

Order was soon restored and the busy thoroughfare resumed its normal appearance.

Mystery surrounds the cause of the contretemps though a number of people were expressing the belief that the gas had been spread by friends of some of the numerous rival stores who were jealous of the younger firm's success. What is more likely, however, is that it was the work of some practical joker.—*Reuter*.

COTTON, WHEAT AND SILVER

LATEST NEW YORK QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat and silver exchange for yesterday.

	Cotton	Wheat	Silver
October	10.53-10.49	10.12-10.14	79
December	10.72-10.67	10.34-10.35	80
January	10.80-10.80	10.41-10.41	81
March	10.80-10.85	10.56-10.57	82
May	10.98-10.99	10.77-10.77	83
July	11.16-11.17	10.94-10.94	84
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July	11.16-11.17	10.94-10.94	84
Spot	10.00		

LONDON STOCK PRICES

MARKET GENERALLY QUIET

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters. The market: Generally very quiet in most sections. The market closed dull.

	July 28	July 31
4 1/2% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.)	£100 1/4	£100 1/4
4 1/2% Loan 1908	£ 83 1/2	£ 83
5% Loan 1912	£ 56	£ 56 1/2
5% Reorg. Loan		
1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£ 85 1/2	£ 85 1/2
5% Bonds 1925-47	£ 89	£ 88 1/2
5% Shai-Nanking Rly.	£ 80 1/2	£ 80 1/2
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	£ 39 1/2	£ 40
5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)	£ 17-22	£ 17-22
5% Shai-Ningpo Rly.	£ 83-88	£ 83-88
5% Honan Rly.	£ 11 1/2	£ 12
5% Hukwang Rly.	£ 28	£ 28
1911		
5% Lung Taing U. Hal Rly. 1918	£ 12	£ 12

	July 28	July 31
German 7% Intermat. Loan 1924	81	81
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	£ 85	£ 85
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 92	£ 92

	July 28	July 31
Associated Elec. Industries	20/6	20/6
Brit.-Amer. Tob.	109/4 1/2	109/4 1/2
Chinese Eng. & Mkn.	30/-	30/-
J. & F. Coats	59/3	58/0
Courtauld	38/0	38/0
Distillers	79/-	78/-
Dunlop Rubber	35/3	34/7 1/2
Eveready	28/0	28/3
General Elec.	42/0	43/-
Guinness	98/6	98/3
Impl. Chem. Industries	30/-	29/0
Impl. Tobacco	100/0	100/0
Internat. Tea Stores	28/0	28/7 1/2
Internat. Nickel	£ 20 1/2	£ 20 1/2
Pinchin Johnson	33/-	33/-
Turner & Newall	32/7 1/2	32/6
Unilever	28/-	27/0

	July 28	July 31
Anglo-Dutch	16/6	16/3
Burma Corp. Rs.	13/10 1/2	13/7 1/2
Canadian Pacific Rly.	£ 18 1/2	£ 17 1/2
Gulf Kalumpung Rubber	17/6	16/0
Tropica Mines	18/4 1/2	18/3
Langlaagte Estates	27/6	27/3
Rubber Trusts	12/0	13/-
Rubber Trusts	23/6	23/-
Shal. Elec. Constr.	55/-	55/-
Van Ryn Deerp. Oils	35/-	35/-

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Anglo-Perian Oil	40/7 1/2	40/7 1/2
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CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

America passes the crisis and takes the road back in one of the most stirring pictures of the year, "Song of the Eagle," which is at the Queen's Theatre. It is a majestic presentation of two of the most seething decades in American life, from 1913-1933, and in honest manner pictures the nation's courageous fight to regain its pride and freedom.

Here is a vast sweeping panorama as background for the tale of one family's intrepid stand against the forces of evil and corruption. Such excellent players as Charles Bickford, Richard Arlen, Mary Brian, Jean Hersholt, Louise Dresser, Andy Devine and George E. Stone are in the featured cast.

It is the story of America's shame—and its rise to new heights during the New Deal Through the startled eyes of Otto Hoffman and his family, makers of the famous Hoffman's Amber Brew, you see twenty tempestuous years pass by.

The picture's climax is a daring prophecy of what the United States may be called upon to face in the next few months when the lawless elements find themselves deprived of their lucrative beer racket.

Charles Bickford is superb as the strong-willed, uncontrollable Nails Anderson who bends American business to his will with his murderous, strong-arm methods. Jean Hersholt, in the role of Otto Hoffman, gives a sympathetic performance.

"Wild Girl" In a recent survey of 10,000 letters written to Charles Farrell by his "fans" in all parts of the world, the question asked more than any other was: "How did you happen to get your big 'break'?"

It happened to Farrell in the most casual manner imaginable. One day in the winter of 1925 he was standing at the curb in front of the Fox Film studio in Hollywood, himself a "free lance" with no job in sight.

Madge Bellamy, then the greatest of all Fox Film stars from the box office angle, was preparing for her picture, "Sandy." The cast was not set but the ever-impetuous "New York office" was wiring for preliminary stunts on the principals. Robert M. Yost, then director of publicity, was pacing the floor of his office bent upon a way out of the problem to satisfy the eastern staff. He paused momentarily and through the window he saw the curbside Farrell balancing himself on a bit in a Fox picture called "Wings of Youth" and Yost knew him by sight.

Yost opened the window and called: "Young man, how would you like to stand in as a substitute in a still picture with Madge Bellamy?" It will picture with great accommodation to the publicity department, and you never can tell, it may mean something good for you."

The "stunt" turned out to be a "natural." Young Farrell seemed to fit in so harmoniously with the others that Yost showed the print to James Ryan, casting director, and Charlie was signed to play the part for which he "broke."

Charles Farrell's latest screen dedication will soon be at the King's Theatre on Thursday in "Wild Girl," a Fox Film production in which Joan Bennett plays the feminine lead. Ralph Bellamy, Irving Pichel, Minna Gombell and Eugene Pallette are other principals in the big cast.

"The Little Damsel" "The Little Damsel" is based on the famous play by Monckton Hoffo, which was presented successfully in London and New York, and given a command performance before the late King Edward and Queen Alexandra at Sandringham.

It introduces Ann Nagle in her second starring part—her first was with Henry Edwards in "The Flag Lieutenant." The part calls for the expression of an extraordinary dual personality. One, the sweet and sympathetic Miss Anna Nagle, already fam-

ily known to the London stage, is a hearted wise-cracking, hard-boiled night-club singer and dancer. "The Little Damsel" will open at the Central Theatre to-morrow, and supporting Miss Nagle are James Renne, Emma Stone, Athole Stewart, Peter Northgate and Alfred Drayton. Herbert Wilcox directed.

"The Woman Accused" The Paramount-Liberty all-star story, written by ten of America's most famous authors—Rupert Hughes, Vicki Baum, Zane Grey, Vivia Delmar, Irvin S. Cobb, Gertrude Atherton, J. P. McEvoy, Gertrude Parrott, Polina Banks and Sophie Kerr—opens at the Queen's Theatre to-morrow.

Nancy Carroll, Cary Grant and John Halliday play the leading roles in the story which recently appeared serially in Liberty Magazine. It was written for the magazine and for the movies simultaneously.

Action of the film centres around Mrs. Carroll, who faces a murder charge on her wedding day, as the result of an encounter with a former lover the night before. The latter, demanding that she return to him, threatened the life of Grant, her fiancé, and Nancy, to save him, had committed the murder. On her wedding day she flees aboard a steamer making a "cruise to nowhere." Grant with her, Halliday, a friend of the slain man, follows, and attempts to secure evidence incriminating her. But, Grant, in a dramatic climax, frees her of all guilt.

"Love on Wheels" Mr. Gordon Selfridge, proprietor of the famous Oxford Street store, co-operated with Gainsborough pictures in loaning them the whole store for several Sundays to obtain the authentic scenes they required for "Love on Wheels." The shots of busy life in a huge store are most interesting, and when Jack Hulbert, star of the film, commences to sing and dance in the perfume department and carries on through the haberdashery and ladies' outfitting, the incongruity of the surroundings adds considerably to the fun.

RADIO BROADCAST

RELAY OF BRITISH FILM FROM KING'S

From Z. B. W., on wave length of 355 metres (84.5 k/c.). 4-5 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

5-6 p.m. A relay of the Band of the 1st Bn. South Wales Borderers, conducted by Bandmaster, J. L. Weeks, from the Military Hospital, Bowen Road, by kind permission of the Officer Commanding.

6-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme. 7-10.30 p.m. European programme. 7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

SURFRIDING THE POPULAR NEW LOCAL SPORT

SENATORS AGAIN DEFEATED

YANKES GOING STRONG

SCORE THIRTEEN TIMES

New York, July 31. The New York Yankees scored again when they met their closest rivals, the Washington Senators, to-day, hitting up 13 runs to which the Senators replied with nine. Following on their victory on Sunday, this consolidates the Yankees' position as leaders of the American League.

There were no games in the National League to-day, and Reuter sends the two following results:

AMERICAN LEAGUE				
	R	H	E	
St. Louis	12	12	1	
Cleveland	8	14	1	
(Classell, Hale and Kamm homered for Cleveland).				
Washington	9	13	2	
New York	13	18	0	
(D. Harris twice homered for Washington).				

W. INDIES GET A SHOCK

HARD PRESSED BY DURHAM

WELL BEHIND ON FIRST INNINGS

London, July 31. The West Indies were given a shock in a two-day match with Durham, the Minor Counties team, finding themselves 106 runs in arrears on the first innings.

Durham batted especially well, only Valentine being able to make any impression in the West Indies attack. He took 5 for 73, but it could not prevent the "Minors" from compiling 256.

The visitors went about their task of beating this in a very unconfident manner, and thanks chiefly to some smart bowling on the part of Woodhouse, who captured 5 for 73, were sent back for 140.

The West Indies followed on and at the close had scored 29 for the loss of three wickets. This was probably their most unimpressive display since the start of the tour.

—Reuter.

Races With A Broken Arm

1,300 MILES EVENT INCIDENT

Berlin, July 29. The most difficult section of the 1,300 miles race around Germany, which began at daybreak yesterday at Baden-Baden, has now begun, namely, night travel. The organization of the race and discipline among the nearly 500 participants in the race so far has proved faultless. The race was especially difficult after passing Brunswick Forest owing to the narrowness and steepness of the track, while in other sections, the progress was considerably hampered by the morning fog. The vanguard thus reached Cologne half an hour later than was expected.

DEVOTION TO DUTY.
Opo heroic example of devotion to duty was given by one of the competitors, Herr Dittmar of Hof on the Saale, belonging to the storm-detachment motorcycle section, riding an Imperia machine. Herr Dittmar had a bad fall near Elsterwerda, and broke his right arm. However, he took only enough time to have his arm put into splints and continued on to Berlin, a distance of 50 miles, where he was compelled by the stewards to go into hospital. This incident is regarded as characteristic of the sporting spirit prevailing among the "Brown Shirts," whose proud tradition is faithfulness to duty to the last degree.

Altogether, 300 racers had passed Mannheim at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

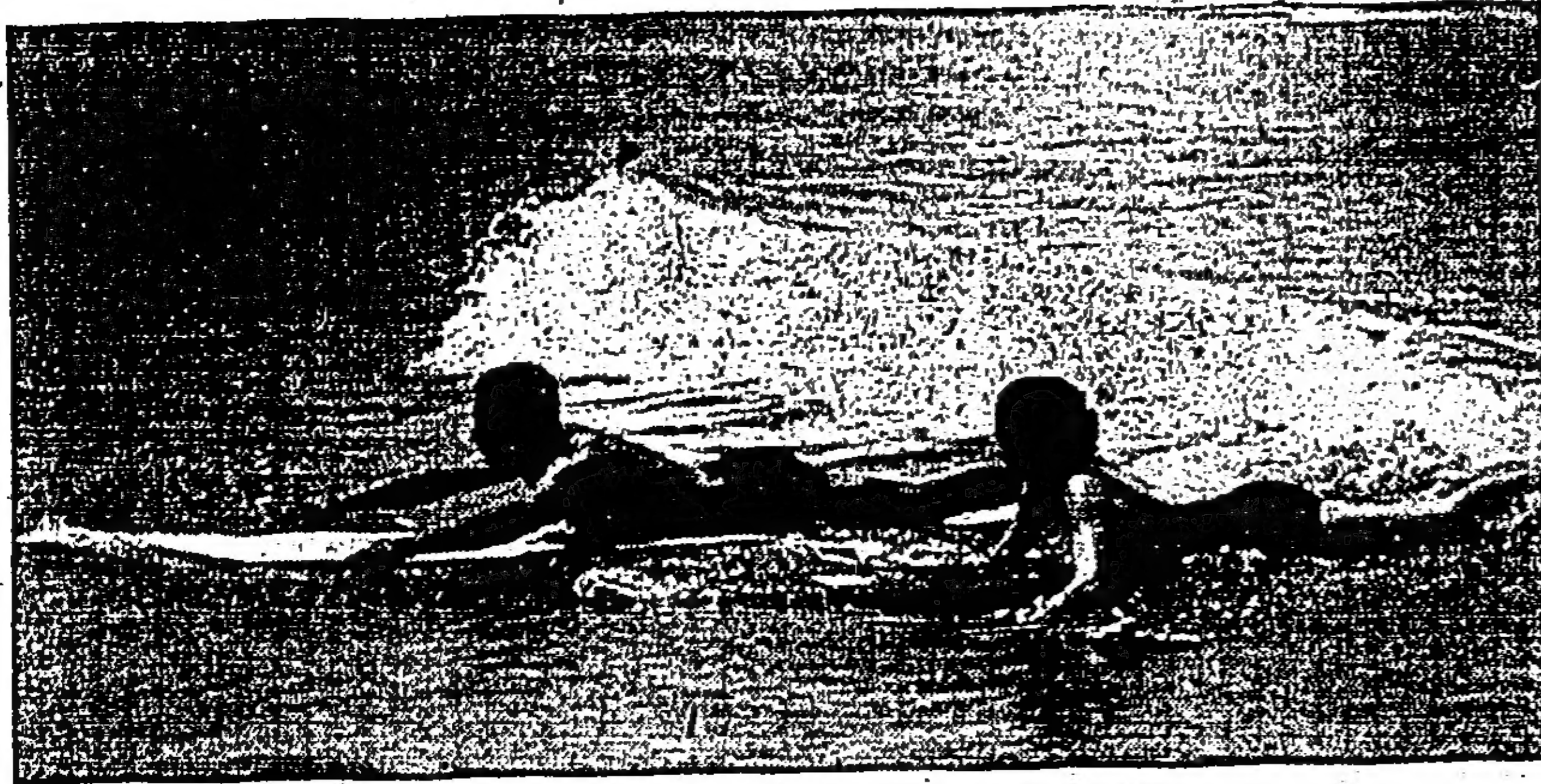
One of the chief objects of this race is to test the endurance of the various types of cars in order to be able to make a selection in the building of a new type of motor car. It is also a test of the anti-unemployment campaign.

REGATTA TO BE HELD AT REPULSE BAY THIS MONTH

(BY "SURFER")

THIS IS THE WAY TO DO IT.

A striking picture of two surfboard paddlers riding the waves. The lady is Miss Beatrice Newport, Ladies 100 and 400 yards world's champion surfboard paddler and holder of the 100 yards Havana Swimming Championship. The gentleman is Mr. William Butts of Hongkong, who is the leading light among local surfboard enthusiasts. Incidentally this is an illustration of the correct position for paddling, referred to in the article below.



HONGKONG has a new sport!

SURFRIDING and surfboard paddling, now figuring among the principal sports of America and Australia and world famed for its development in the place of its birth, Hawaii, has invaded Hongkong and this summer is seeing dozens of young enthusiasts under the leadership of one or two experts, indulging in the fascinating pastime at Repulse Bay.

SO rapid has been the spread of its popularity in Hongkong that already preparations are in hand to stage a regatta towards the end of this month. It will be held at Repulse Bay on August 19 or 20, and entries so far exceed a dozen.

Surfboard riding and paddling races were held by the Hawaiians long before the white man ventured to his shores. As far back as the history of this picturesque race of people can be traced, the king's birthday fiesta was always the day that the new Surfboard Championship was decided.

During the last twenty years this sport has slowly spread throughout distant parts of the world. It seems that wherever the introduction took place, once tried, it stayed and perpetuated itself. To-day one finds it nationally recognised and sponsored along with swimming, by the Amateur Athletic Union in America. They have the Pacific and Atlantic Coast Championships, which of course led to the National Championships held in September, every year.

INVASION OF HONGKONG.
One may travel down to Singapore now and find Katong Beach decorated with surfboards painted every colour of the rainbow.

Manila's Polo Club, situated out at Paranaque Beach houses a fleet of privately owned surfboards. Nothing need be said of how the Australians have taken to the sport, for it is almost as popular there as it is in America.



This picture shows a few of the varied type of craft used for surfing and surfboard paddling. Reference to them will be found in the article.

Now that the sport has invaded the shores of Hongkong, a brief explanation of surfing and surfboard paddling may be of interest.

Originally the surfboard was used only to ride on the waves but as the shape and design changed to improve efficiency while riding, so also did the speed of the board increase while just being paddled on the smooth surface of the water. This evidently opened the field for two kinds of races. The original to see who could catch the largest wave and ride it shoreward the greatest distance, and the other to establish the fastest speed over a certain distance, this without the help of a wave or anything except the hands and arms of the rider or rather, in this case the paddler.

In establishing two kinds of races, two entirely different types of surfboards were introduced. One the short wide riding model, and the other the long cigar shaped racer. To-day both are (Continued on Page 9.)

YORKSHIRE CRICKET IN THE OLDEN DAYS

By "HISTORICUS"

III

MATCHES WITH LANCASHIRE

THE "WHITE ROSE" IN THE ASCENDANT.

The first match between Lancashire and Yorkshire had as its venue the Hyde Park Ground at Sheffield, and took place on the 23rd, 24th and 25th July, 1849. Yorkshire with scores of 169 and 117 for 5 wickets as against Lancashire's 173 and 112, obtaining the victory.

The return match was played at Manchester on the 2nd and 3rd August, 1849, and ended in a second Yorkshire victory by an innings and 18 runs—the scores being Yorkshire 160 and Lancashire 87 and 61.

In 1851, these two counties met again—Lancashire importing Julius Caesar of the Surrey XI (not the Caesar of the Surrey XI), William Calfyn (also of Surrey), Tom Adams (of the Kent XI) and Vincent Tinsley of Notts. The match was played on the Hyde Park Ground at Sheffield on 28th and 29th July, 1851. Yorkshire winning by six wickets with scores of 140 and 114 for 4 wickets, to Lancashire's scores of 184 and 68.

Julius Caesar, Calfyn, Adams and Tinsley contributing 42, 19, 10, and 5 respectively in Lancashire's first innings, and 2, 8, 31 and 5 respectively in their second innings.

In a footnote to the scores in this match, Frank Lillywhite in his "Cricket Scores and Biographies" remarks "It is a pity Yorkshire did not play more matches as a county, as 'about this time' they had a very fine 'XI'."

The return match took place at Manchester on August 21 and 22, 1851. Lancashire on this occasion having the assistance of Julius Caesar, Sherman (of Surrey), and R.C. Tinsley of Notts—and Yorkshire again proving victorious, this time by 5 wickets—the Yorkshire scores being 156 and 44 for 5 wickets as against Lancashire's 71 and 125—Julius Caesar making 5 and 14, R.C. Tinsley, 2 and 10 and Sherman 1 and 0.

The two counties did not indulge in another encounter until 1867, when three matches between them were played, namely (1) at Whalley, Lancashire, (2) at Old Trafford, Manchester, and (3) at Middlebro', Yorkshire. The first of these matches was won by Yorkshire with a score of 188 to Lancashire's 67 and 76—George Freeman (the celebrated Yorkshire fast bowler) capturing 12 Lancashire wickets for 51 runs and Luke Greenwood 7 for 76—the pair bowling unchanged throughout the match. The second match also resulted in a win for Yorkshire who made 140 and 273 as against Lancashire's 169 and 98, while in the third match, Yorkshire proved victorious by an innings and 40 runs with a score of 205 to 97 and 68—George Freeman and Tom Emmett taking 9 wickets for 71 and 10 for 67 respectively.

Then came the astounding 1868 match, played on the Old Hobbeck Recreation Ground at Leeds, wherein George Freeman and Tom Emmett, bowling unchanged throughout the match, dismissed Lancashire for 30 and 34 as against their own side's total of 250 for one innings—Freeman capturing 12 wickets for 23 runs (three with successive balls) and Emmett 8 for 24.

As a matter of interest, I am setting out the scores in this match.

LANCASHIRE.

First Innings.

J. Ricketts, b Freeman	5
D. Rowland, b Freeman	0
C. Coward, b Freeman	10
E. B. Rowley, Esq., b Freeman	1
R. Leach, Esq., b Freeman	1
W. Hickton, c Walker, b Emmett	5
W. Burrows, b Freeman	1
F. Coward, b Freeman	0
Storer, Esq., b Freeman	0
E. Whitaker, Esq., b Emmett	0
F. Reynolds, not out	0
Byes 8, 1 b 0, w 0, n b 1	9
	80

LANCASHIRE.

Second Innings.

J. Ricketts, b Freeman	18
D. Rowland, b Freeman	0
C. Coward, b Freeman	0
E. B. Rowley, Esq., b Emmett	0
R. Leach, Esq., b Emmett	0
W. Hickton, b Emmett	0
W. Burrows, b Freeman	1
F. Coward, not out	1
E. Storer, b Emmett	1
E. Whitaker, Esq., b Emmett	2
F. Reynolds, c Iddison, b Emmett	0
Byes 8, 1 b 0, w 0, n b 1	9
	64

YORKSHIRE.

First Innings.

G. Saville, Esq., c Storer, b Hickton	65
E. Freeman, b Storer	18
E. Stephenson, b Hickton	10
R. Iddison, c F. Coward, b Hickton	57
Ashley, Walker, Esq., c F. Coward, b Hickton	1
T. Emmett, c F. Coward, b Hickton	1
John Thomas, b Hickton	6
G. Atkinson, c Hickton, b Reynolds	4
J. West, b Reynolds	7
E. B. Rawlinson, c Ricketts, b Storer	24
A. F. Smith, Esq., not out	14
Byes 1, leg byes 8, wide 1	10
	250

According to Rev. R. S. Holmes, Freeman told him a capital story about this match as follows: "Freeman" was in our Commercial Hotel (at Thurn) Yorkshire.

"Later life he conducted the business of an auctioneer there—one day when a stranger came in. Cricket was soon introduced. He was from Lancashire, and had but a mean opinion of Yorkshire's chances against his county. After he had exhausted his stock of eloquence, I chimed in, remarking that there was 'a time when Yorkshiremen thought nothing of their neighbour's skill at cricket; indeed, I could remember a match in which Lancashire were twice dismissed for less than 60 each time. I could not give the date and scores, but was confident of the fact. 'He pooh-poohed it; said it was impossible and went so far as to wager 'a sovereign about it. I accepted the bet and started home for 'Scores and Biographies.' When I had gone, somebody told him who I was, and that I had played in that match. 'Then, was his reply, I may as well stump up at once which he did most honourably leaving the money at the bar. I never saw him again."

BOWLS TOURNEY

Former Champions in Great Game

WIN FOR LUZ

Brilliant bowling was witnessed on the Kowloon Cricket Club green yesterday afternoon, when R. F. Luz, of the Recreio and Colony champion in 1929, defeated Fred Cullen, of the Kowloon Dock of R. C. and holder of the Colony title in 1925, by 21 shots to 19, in the Lawn Bowls Open Championship competition. So even was the play, that the game was extended to the 26th end before Luz gained victory with a beautiful drive.

The green was a bit on the tricky side. Commencing on the first head with a three, Cullen maintained a steady lead and at the 23rd head led by 17 shots to 16. Then Luz gained four and this in no small measure paved the way to victory.

On the Kowloon B.G.C. green, A. E. Coates defeated J. J. Basto by 21 shots to 16, on the 21st end. Basto towards the end made a great effort to recover.

On the Craigengower C.C. green, W. V. Field met and defeated J. F. Lunny, of the Electric R.C., by 21 shots to 16 in a fairly evenly contested game. From the 17th to the 20th end, Field gained five shots for victory.

E. G. Post beat R. Basa 21 to 8 on the Kowloon C.C. green.

J. Cavanagh, who was to have met E. M. Remedios yesterday, had been given a walk over by the Portuguese competitor.

REJECTS V. VETERANS.

The return match between the Club de Recreio Veterans and the Craigengower Rejects took place on the Craigengower green on Saturday, and resulted in a win for the Rejects by seven shots. Scores:

Craigengower Rejects	Recreio Veterans
Cordeiro	Souza
Jenkins	Joe Ribeiro
Johnstone	Machado
Atienza	24 Julio Ribeiro
	17

WATER POLO

European Y.M.C.A. Win Easily

In the water polo league matches played yesterday afternoon at the Chung Sing Bathing Club in West Point, the European Y.M.C.A. beat the Chinese Bathing Club in a smashing victory, the score being 9-0.

In the second match between the Chinese Civil Servants' Club and Chung Sing the former won, 2-1.

BODY-LINE DEBATE.

Cricket Conference Avoids Topic.

London, July 31. In a meeting at Lords to-day of the Imperial Cricket Conference, lasting an hour, it was learned that the question of "body-line" bowling was not discussed. The Marlybone Cricket Club in a cable to Australia stated that the views of the county captains were being sought, and consequently the Conference decided to avoid the bowling topic.

The results of the meeting will be made known later.

ANOTHER HEAVY DEFEAT FOR K.C.C.

BALANCED CRICKET CLUB SIDE WINS EASILY

ONLY FINCHERS WIN SETS

HAZELL BACK ON COURTS

The Hongkong Cricket Club made mincemeat out of the K.C.C. in an "A" Division league tennis match on the club ground yesterday, the home team winning by 6½ sets to 2½.

Only the Fincher brothers offered any serious opposition. They won two sets, but lost to Goldman and Sullivan.

Goldman and Sullivan (H.K.C.C.) beat E. C. and E. F. Fincher, 6-3; beat W. Hyde and A. E. P. Guest, 6-7; beat Sturgeons and White, 6-4; beat H. Abbas and Y. el Arcuili (I.R.C.) lost to Millard and Tillery, 3-6; beat Sturgeons and White, 7-5; lost to Hest and Duncan, 1-6.

Denis Hazell made a welcome re-appearance on the courts after his long illness and together with C. A. Wright formed a sound partnership.

Goldman and Sullivan were unapproachable and captured their sets with the simplest of ease.

Scores. Goldman and Sullivan (H.K.C.C.) beat E. C. and E. F. Fincher, 6-3; beat W. Hyde and A. E. P. Guest, 6-7; beat Sturgeons and White, 6-4; beat H. Abbas and Y. el Arcuili (I.R.C.) lost to Millard and Tillery, 3-6; beat Sturgeons and White, 7-5; lost to Hest and Duncan, 1-6.

Sowell and Owen Hughes (H.K.C.C.) lost to E. C. and E. F. Fincher, 3-6; beat Hyde and Guest, 6-4; beat Rodgers and Hambley, 6-3.

Hazell and Wright (H.K.C.C.) lost to Fincher and Fincher, 1-6; beat Hyde and Guest, 6-4; drew with Rodgers and Hambley, 6-6.

"A" DIVISION.									
S.C.A.A. "A"	P	W	D	L	P	W	D	L	Pts.
G.O.C.	7	1	0	0	46	10	18	1	10
G.O.C.	7	1	0	0	27	1	10		
I.R.C.	0	0	0	0	11	18	1	10	
G.O.C.	0	0	0	0	24	18	1	10	
G.O.C.	0	0	0	0	11	18	1	10	
G.O.C.	0	0	0	0	11	18	1	10	
G.O.C.	0	0	0	0	11	18	1	10	
G.O.C.	0	0	0	0	11	18	1	10	
G.O.C.	0	0	0	0	11	18	1	10	
G.O.C.	0	0	0	0	11	18	1	10	

I.R.C. SURPRISED

Lose To Kowloon Docks

The Indian Recreation Club "C" Division team were surprised yesterday when they lost to the Kowloon Docks, newcomers to the league, by the odd set in nine.

The I.R.C. were not at full strength. Scores:

A. A. Rumliah and M. el Arcuili (I.R.C.) lost to Millard and Tillery, 3-6; beat Sturgeons and White, 6-4; beat Hest and Duncan, 6-4.

S. A. R. Bux and M. Hassan (I.R.C.) lost to Millard and Tillery, 3-6; beat Sturgeons and White, 6-0; lost to Hest and Duncan, 2-6.

"C" DIVISION.									
G.O.C.	P	W	D	L	P	W	D	L	Pts.
K.O.C.	7	1	0	0	11	18	1	10	
G.O.C.	0	0	0	0	11	18	1	10	
G.O.C.	0	0	0	0	11	18	1	10	
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(Continued from Page 5.)

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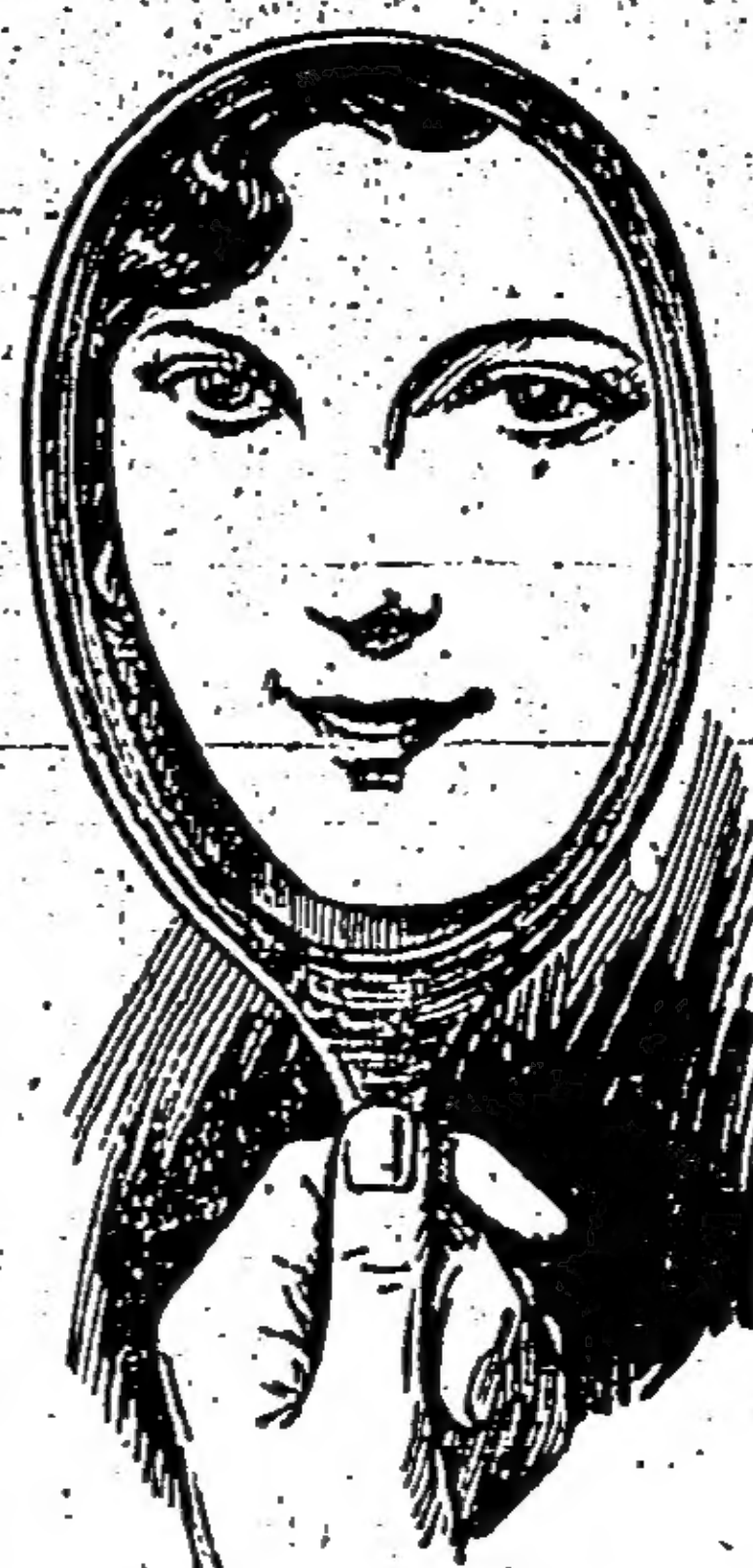
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As the lorry crashed over on its side, it struck a public ricksha, smashing it to pieces and pinning the coolie to the road. The six occupants of the lorry and the ricksha coolie were rushed to the Government Civil Hospital where they were detained for treatment.

Most of the injured were suffering from scalp wounds. Late last night their condition was reported to be comfortable.

Eye-witnesses of the accident say that when the lorry began the descent, it appeared to be running normally. Suddenly it gathered speed. Coolies in the back screamed in panic and the driver was observed to be doing all in his power to check the machine's dangerous momentum.

The lorry at the time was carrying a full load of earth and its weight only added to the machine's speed.

When the lorry reached the junction of Garden Road, the driver swerved to the left to avoid the last half of the grade and possible disaster at the traffic congested Queen's Road intersection. But the speed of the lorry was too great and it crashed over on its side, emptying its passengers and cargo on to the roadside.

The ricksha coolie, who had been coming down Albert Road in the direction of Queen's Road, was pinned beneath it. But hospital authorities say he will probably recover.

DARLING FOOL

(Continued from Page 3.)
Why can't I be like that? My heart always runs away with my head.
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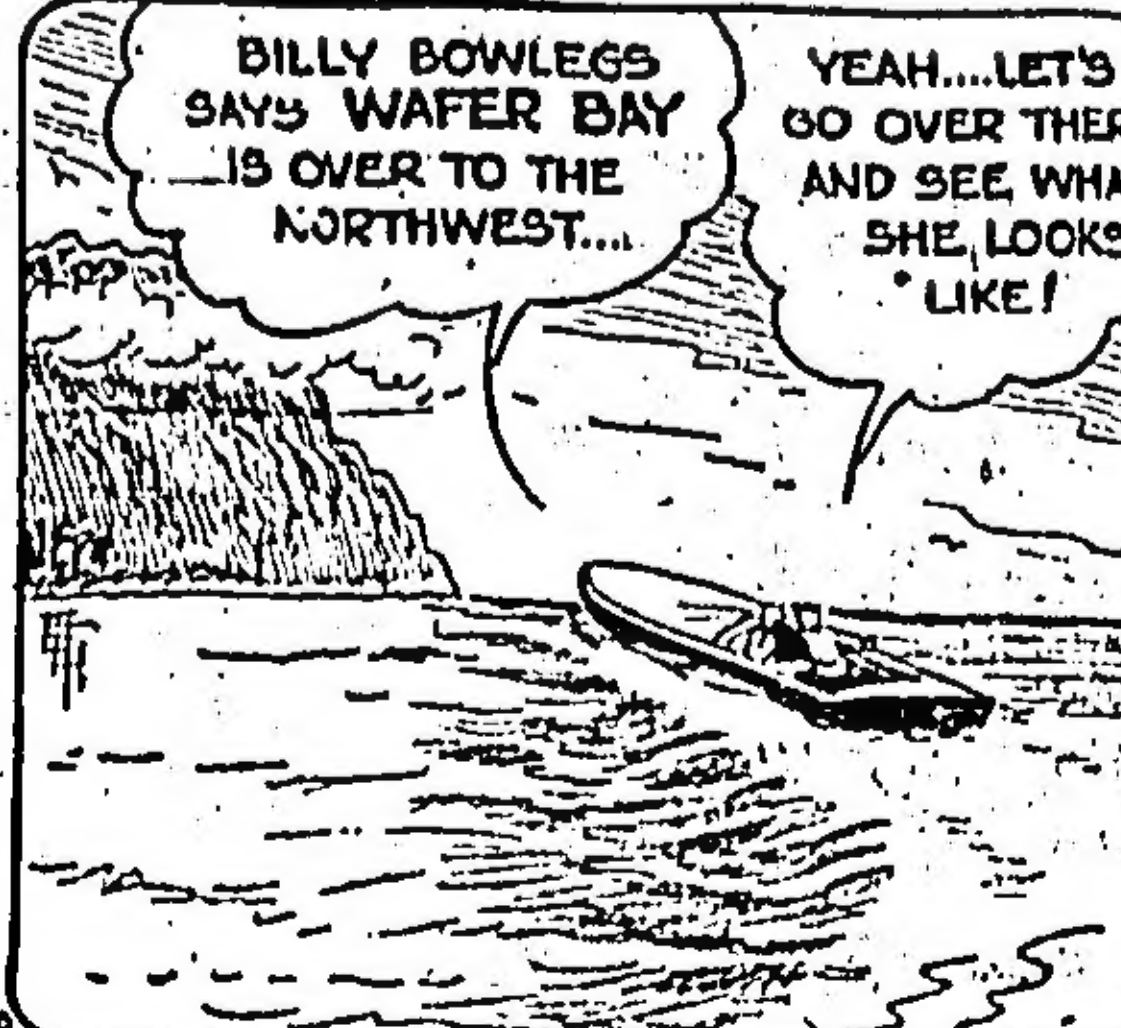
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To those who are using the forcing bid in contract, many would want to start South's hand with the bid of two spades, but it is not strong enough. South has too many losers to make a two bid which requires that the bidding be kept open until game is arrived at.

therefore it is best to start South's hand at contract with a bid of one spade. West would overcall with two hearts. North should bid three spades. With this information, South can jump to five spades and North would go to six.

The Bidding

The Play

West has a choice of two openings—trump or the king of hearts. Against a slam declaration, most players will open the singleton trump which South, the declarer, would win with the ace. Declarer would return the king of trump, West would play the seven of hearts and East would follow with his last trump—the eight spot.

The declarer sees that he has one losing heart and one losing club trick. West's overcall of two hearts practically places the king and queen of hearts and the king of clubs in his hand. If this is true, the declarer can make his small slam by stripping both his hand and the dummy's of diamonds, therefore three rounds of diamonds are taken.

The declarer then leads the eight of hearts from dummy, winning in his own hand with the ace. The six of hearts is returned by the declarer and West is forced to win with the queen. Regardless of what West leads, he cannot stop the declarer from making a small slam. If he returns a heart or a diamond, the declarer will trump in the dummy and discard a club from his own hand. If West returns a small club, the declarer will allow it to ride to his queen as it is his only possible chance of successfully making six odd.

The bidding and the opening lead placed the missing high cards for the declarer.

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BANISHEE GAOLED.

FOUR MONTHS FOR CHINESE
WITH MANY ALIASES

For a breach of the Deportation Ordinance, Tang Cha, a Chinese, was sentenced to four months' hard labour by Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Police Court yesterday afternoon. Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General, appeared for the Crown.

Defendant was previously discharged on July 27, but on Friday Mr. Fraser made application in Court for his Worship to reconsider his decision. Mr. Fraser contended the order was valid.

Yesterday, Mr. A. W. G. H. Grantham, Assistant Colonial Secretary and Deputy Clerk of Councils, deposed to the papers relating to the deportation of one Chan Hop, alias Tang Hop, in May 1930. That man was the defendant, who now had another alias, Tang Cha. He was banished on May 20, under an order by the Governor-in-Council dated May 15, 1930. The long procedure was adopted.

Magistrate.—The reason why I wanted further particulars in this case was not because of any general necessity but that particular circumstances of this particular case, raised in my mind, just sufficient doubt which I must have cleared up.

Inspector E. A. Vincent, officer-in-charge of criminal records, deposed to the finger prints of the defendant.

Mr. Wynne-Jones remarked he was satisfied the man was properly banished, and convicted him for a breach of the order.

Defendant pleaded he came here to go to Swatow, and had recently received a letter stating he was to become a father soon. He wanted to send his wife money.

Mr. Fraser.—That can quite easily be arranged by the prison

TRIBESMEN FIRE
ON R.A.F.BOMBERS READY TO
ATTACK

Officers of the Royal Air Force were fired upon by Bajauri tribesmen on the north-west Indian frontier yesterday when they flew over the disaffected area and dropped warnings to the effect that, unless the British ultimatum were respected, the villages of the tribe would be bombed at dawn to-day.

Indian troops, supported by mountain batteries, have arrived at Dand to assist the Hallamzi tribe which is threatened with attack from Afghanistan.

Planes Draw Fire.

Fuillades of rifle fire were directed against the British aeroplanes which dropped warning notices at Khar, the headquarters of the Bajauri chief, informing him that his villages would be bombed at dawn to-morrow if the ultimatum for the surrender of dangerous agitators is not complied with.

In the meantime a column of Indian Army troops, supported by mountain gun batteries, has proceeded to Dand where they will assist the friendly Hallamzi tribe, which is threatened with attack from the turbulent Upper Mohmands, across the Afghan frontier.

authorities. Replying to the Bench, Mr. Fraser said defendant had no criminal record in the Colony. He bore a bad character elsewhere. He was deported on the ground that he was an undesirable subject.

Mr. Fraser.—We are not asking for severity in this case. It is just a question of the validity of the order, and the principle.

CHINA'S PROTEST.

OBJECTION TO CAMP
BORDON INCIDENT

London, July 31.

The Chinese Legation has lodged a written protest against an incident during the military exercises at Bordon Camp in which the word "Chinese" was allegedly used in a burlesque sense.

Part of the brigade operation, which was not a public spectacle, was the routing of so-called "Chinese bandits" commanded by "General Yoyo" and "General Rum-foo."

The Legation observes that the Bordon incident was followed by a verbal protest against the inclusion of a Chinese pirate junk in the Portsmouth naval display. The Admiralty then deleted the word "Chinese."

It is learned that assurances have been given that the word "Chinese" will be ignored in future service events.—Reuter.

GERMAN THREAT

ALLEGED DUMPING BY
BRITAIN

Berlin, July 31.

Import duties on cotton yarns into Germany have been approximately doubled as from August 1.

This decision follows a protest submitted to the Government by a meeting of German cotton spinners. A resolution was passed at the meeting drawing attention to the dumping of British cotton yarns.

The German cotton spinners contend that the alleged dumping of British yarns on the German market deprives more than 20,000 German workers of employment.—Reuter.

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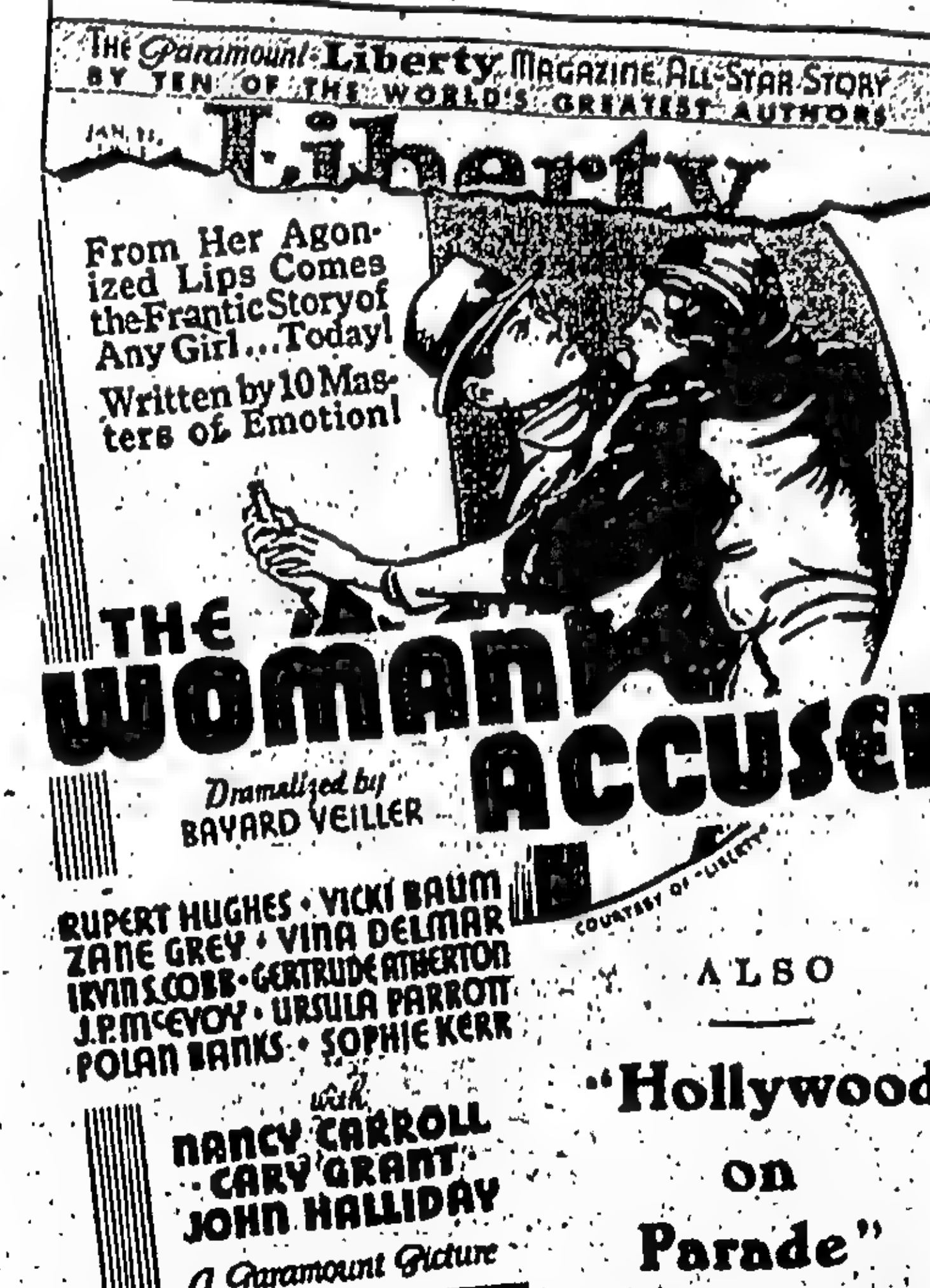


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SKYSCRAPERS IN HONGKONG OF THE FUTURE

THE NORTH POINT CONTROVERSY

GOVT. OFFER OF CHAIWAN

CLUBS FAR FROM ENTHUSIASTIC

Enquiries this afternoon in quest of opinions on Chaiwan Bay as a site for the Chinese swimming club pavilions, which are at present situated at North Point, met with unanimous criticism of the proposal. It would not only occasion excessive expense and but it was not easily accessible.

At the South China Athletic Association, our representative was told that the Government has not yet definitely decided upon Chaiwan Bay as an alternative site, but in the event of this proving the only alternative, they were not sure what they would do.

One person summed up the situation when he stated that the Chinese community felt it was a great pity that the Government should yield to pressure of private interests, which was what they were doing if rumour had it right, and deprive them of "one lung".

HEALTH OF COLONY.

"If the Government proposed to have an outlet for sewers in the vicinity of the present site," he said, "surely they could extend the pipe and have the outflow in mid-stream or divert the sewage outlet to the western end of the reclamation about half a mile away".

Another point made was that at present North Point catered for the health of the Colony. The reverse would be the case if this area was commercialized. It did not seem reasonable that after the Chinese had spent large sums of money to popularise North Point as a bathing resort that the Government should listen to private interests and seek to commercialise the area.

It was pointed out that the bulk of the inhabitants of Hongkong are Chinese and it should be the object of the Government to promote health amongst them. It would appear from the present suggestion that the Government was now putting commercial interests before the health of the community. If the bathing pavilions were moved to Chaiwan there would undoubtedly be an immense falling off in the numbers attending.

CODE FOR LOCAL POLICE

TO BE PREPARED BY INSP. PATERSON

Explaining an item of \$900 in a list of supplementary expenditure which the Finance Committee will be asked to approve on Thursday, the Government stated that a new edition of the Hongkong Police Regulations is urgently required. In addition it is considered desirable to prepare a "Hongkong Police Code" on the lines of the Police Code issued to the London Metropolitan Police. This work will require the full time of a senior officer for a period of two years. No such officer is available from the active list.

It is therefore proposed to grant an allowance of \$150 per month to ex-Chief Inspector Paterston now on leave prior to retirement, who is eminently qualified for the work. No funds are available this year and a vote for six months salary, \$900, is therefore requested. Next year funds will be provided in the Estimates.

U.S. WHEAT TRADING RESTRICTIONS

NO SALES AT LESS THAN YESTERDAY'S PRICE

Chicago, July 31. The Directors of the Chicago Board of Trade have decided not to countenance future trading in grain provisions below the closing price on July 31. The order will be effective until



Another view of the coal dump at Blackhead Point, extending into the distance.

NEXT MINISTER TO CHINA

Sir Cecil Clementi's Name Mentioned

It is rumoured in Shanghai and Singapore that Sir Cecil Clementi, Governor of the Straits Settlements and ex-Governor of Hongkong, will succeed Sir Miles Lampson as British Minister to China.

DAVIS CUP TEAM LIONISED

GREAT WELCOME AT VICTORIA

PERRY CARRIED SHOULDER-HIGH

Scenes of wild enthusiasm were witnessed at Victoria Station to-day when the triumphant British Davis Cup team was welcomed home with the Cup.

The platform itself was lined with a crowd from five to six deep and outside there was another huge crowd.

A great roar went up as the players, H. W. Austin, E. J. Perry, C. P. Hughes and H. G. N. Lee stepped off the train accompanied by Mr. Roper Barrett, the non-playing captain, who was carrying the cup.

The crowd surged to and fro and finally broke through the cordon, rushing Perry, the hero of the occasion thanks to his great victory over Cochet, and after a struggle, he was lifted shoulder-high and carried out of the station in triumph.

His Majesty telegraphed his congratulations from Cowes.—*Reuter.*

KOWLOON HOSPITAL ADDITIONS

Rapid Progress Now Being Made

More rapid progress than was expected is being made with the work of constructing the additions to the Kowloon Hospital.

It is now anticipated that a further \$90,000 can be spent on the project this year, making a total of \$270,000.

A vote for the balance of \$90,000 is being sought on Thursday.

OUR BUSY BAILIFFS

Extra Watchmen Needed By Supreme Court

A sidelight on business conditions in the Colony is provided by a vote coming before the Finance

GANDHI TO BE RELEASED ON PAROLE

DISOBEDIENCE MARCH NIPPED IN BUD

STANDS OPEN TO TRIAL

Ahmedabad, Aug. 1. It is understood that Gandhi and his companions, who were arrested at 1.40 a.m. to-day, will be released on parole.

If they commit a breach of the parole, they will then stand open to committal for trial.

It is noteworthy that Gandhi was arrested this time under the ordinary law, whereas he was previously taken into custody as a State prisoner and detained "during the Government's pleasure."

When arrested Gandhi was staying in a bungalow belonging to a wealthy mill-owner, Mr. Ranchood Das and had retired. He was sleeping soundly when he was awakened up by a crowd rushing in, when the District Magistrate and the District Superintendent were seen to arrive in four cars, accompanied by a squad of police officers.

Gandhi called the inmates together, prayed and then surrendered.

WHOLE PARTY CAOLED.

All the other members of the party were arrested, including Mahadev Desai, Gandhi's secretary, and thirty-two Ashramites.

All of them are now in the gaol at Sabarmati.

Warning that this would be the probable outcome of Gandhi's declared intention of beginning a new civil disobedience march was given by officials at Simla some hours before, it being indicated that the authorities would probably arrest Gandhi to-day as soon as the march began.

NOT ALLOWED TO START.

In fact, they did not wait for the march to begin. The authorities, apparently, decided upon arrest before the start was made.

The march, in which Mrs. Gandhi and fifteen other women were to have participated, was planned to start from Ahmedabad. The marchers were to go to a village in the Ras Kakra district and there launch a new civil disobedience movement with an appeal to the villagers.

Civil disobedience has been rapidly dying out in India lately and in announcing his march, was in conflict with the bulk of opinion in the Congress Party.—*Reuter.*

doubling the total vote for Supreme Court watchmen.

It is explained that owing to the large increase this year in the number of detainees and executions, the employment of a greater number of extra watchmen has been

FOURTEEN OR FIFTEEN STOREYS

NEW PLANS FOR THE CITY DISTRICT

AMENDMENTS TO ORDINANCE

Huge blocks of buildings rising to fourteen or fifteen stories and separated by wide clear streets are visualised in a draft ordinance which is nearing completion in the hands of the Public Works Department.

After consultation with a committee of architects, the P.W.D. have brought forward a number of proposals which, if carried into effect will transform the business part of the Colony into skyscraper blocks.

When completed the new headquarters of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation will dominate all buildings on its own level by many feet—its tallest point will be 220 feet high—but it cannot hope to retain its supremacy long in view of these new and far-reaching proposals.

MODERN CITY.

At present the nature of the draft proposals cannot be learned from official lips but it is known that since the work of recasting the existing Public Health and Buildings Ordinance and its amendments began a year ago, those in charge of the work have studied the growth of modern cities from every aspect of health and sanitation and have incorporated the best features in the draft ordinance. It is unlikely that it will be ready for presentation to Legislative Council until next year.

A WATER QUERY

HON. MR. KOTEWALL'S SUGGESTION

In Legislative Council on Thursday, the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, C.M.G., LL.D., will ask the following question:—

In view of the complaints received that water does not reach the third and higher floors of many houses on account of insufficient pressure whenever restrictions are imposed, will the Government grant permission to such property-owners as may apply for it, to have the water-pipes laid first to the topmost floors and thence downwards, instead of from the ground floors and upwards as at present? If not, what are the Government's reasons?

JUNK UNDER WAY WITHOUT CREW

Found With Sails Set Near Cheungchau

When in charge of a Preventive patrol launch off Lamma Island last night, Revenue Officer Ward saw a fishing junk drifting out of Cheungchau. The sails were fully set, but the craft was without a crew.

The Revenue launch towed the junk to Aberdeen, where it is hoped to clear up the mystery by its number 3911.

U.S. LOANS OVER SUBSCRIBED

New York, Aug. 1. Both the issue of \$500,000,000 of Eight-Year Bonds at 3 1/2 per cent. and also the issue of \$500,000,000 of Two-Year Treasury Notes at 1 1/2 per cent. were over-subscribed.

LOWER KOWLOON TAXI FARES

GALE IN CHANNEL

KING'S YACHT MENACED

STEAMER OUT OF CONTROL

London, July 31.

High winds and heavy seas swept the English coasts to-day, causing some considerable interference with shipping services.

It was particularly rough in the Channel and crowds of holiday makers at the seaside resorts turned out to see great waves dashing over the piers and seawalls. Several craft got into difficulties, but no serious mishap occurred.

COWES INCIDENT.

The Royal Yacht, Victoria and Albert, which is the headquarters of Their Majesties the King and Queen during their stay at Cowes, was compelled to send out a pinnace to the assistance of a Portsmouth-Isle of Wight paddle steamer which carried by the gale and strong tides fouled some yachts in the roads.

At one time, with the steamer sweeping down more or less out of control, the King's yacht "Britannia" was seriously endangered, but when a collision seemed likely, the paddle steamer dropped both her anchors and they held her clear.

TOWED CLEAR.

The steamer was later towed clear, when the gale had moderated somewhat.

Owing to the gale, the Regatta of the Royal Yacht Club was postponed for the first time in its history.—*Reuter.*

LONDON SWELTERS IN HEAT.

London, July 26. To-day was the hottest day of the year in London, the shade temperature for sixteen hours being 88 degrees.

The intense heat caused several cases of collapse among women at Goodwood, where the 133rd race meeting is being held.—*Reuter.*

UNEMPLOYMENT IN COLONY

SKIPPER GOES TO DETENTION HOUSE

George Harold Horn, aged 49, and unemployed master mariner, was committed by Mr. Wynne-Jones this morning to the House of Detention under the Vagrancy Act.

It was stated by Detective-Sergeant Mottram that defendant had fallen out of a job. He had been in the House of Detention previously, just for one day, but yesterday he had to give himself up. Defendant was hopeful of another job.

CEMENT COMPANY RUMOURS

PLANT SALE STORY QUITE UNTRUE

Rumours to the effect that the Green Island Cement Company have disposed of their plant to the value of over \$1,000,000 were quashed this morning by Mr. Allan Keith, the secretary of the Company, who informed the Telegraph that the rumours were entirely untrue.

FAIR WEATHER

The Royal Observatory reports that pressure is highest over the Pacific to the east of Hokkaido. A severe typhoon is approaching Naha on a northerly track.

HEAT WAVE HITS NEW YORK

Over Hundred Degrees in the Shade

New York, Aug. 1. A terrific heat wave, accompanied by lightning and windstorms, accounted for forty deaths in the East and Middle West yesterday. Ten of the deaths occurred in New York.

The temperature was 100 degrees in the shade and 141 in the sun, the highest for fifteen years. This was in contrast to Montana, which is in the grip of a cold wave.—*Reuter.*

CONTROL OF LUANTUNG

CHANGE-OVER PROGRESS

DIFFICULTIES AT MIYUN

Peking, Aug. 1.

The retrocession of the Luantung area to the Chinese authorities is now reported to be nearing completion.

Along the railway, all districts have been taken over, those still remaining in Japanese hands being five along the Great Wall in addition to the walled city of Shanhaikwan.

At Miyun some difficulties are reported.

It appears that the Japanese military authorities are insisting upon the maintenance of a garrison there, both inside and outside the town, under the loosely-worded article of the Tangku Truce regarding the inspection of the Chinese military withdrawal from the demilitarised zone.—*Reuter.*

ON THE NORTH-WEST FRONTIER

London Watching Events Closely

London, July 31. Developments in the situation on the North-west Frontier of India are being closely watched here.

Troops are advancing from Peshawar to the support of the loyal Halemzai tribe, which is threatened by the neighbouring tribe of Mohmands.

Meanwhile, the Government of India's demand for the surrender by the Bajauri tribesmen of certain agitators whose conduct threatens peace and the fulfilment of international obligations has not been complied with.

Royal Air Force aeroplanes accordingly have flown over Bajaur and to-day dropped notices warning the villages of their intention to bomb certain officially fixed objectives. The aeroplanes were fired at when over the village of Klar.—*British Wireless.*

FAIRBANKS' RELATIONS

Rumours of Impending Divorce

Reno, Nevada, July 25. Rumours of an impending divorce between Miss Mary Pickford and her husband, Mr. Douglas Fairbanks, are rife here, but hitherto no direct confirmation is obtainable.

Miss Pickford, who admitted some time ago that she was separated from her husband, said

APPLICATION TO GOVERNMENT

STRIKING CUT PLANNED

There will probably be a further marked reduction in the large taxicab fares on the Mainland in the near future if an application by the Blue Taxi Cab Company to the Government is accepted.

The Telegraph was informed this morning that an application was sent to the Government about a week ago for permission to reduce the existing fares in respect of large cars from 40 cents for the first mile and 40 cents each subsequent mile to 40 cents for the first mile and 20 cents each subsequent mile. No reply has yet been received to the application. We understand that the prices for smaller cars will remain as at present, namely 30 cents for the first mile and 20 cents for each subsequent mile.

STUBBS ROAD INCIDENT

MR. M. DAVIS FINED TO-DAY

Mr. M. Davis, of Metro Goldwyn Corporation, A.P.C. Building, was fined \$20 by Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, for having driven his car in a dangerous manner in Stubbs Road.

The incident occurred on July 23, when the complainant, Mr. W. E. Hollands, of the P.W.D., who was coming down Stubbs Road, had to apply his brakes to avoid a collision.

The defendant sent a representative to Court, admitting the summons.

Excessive Speed. Chung Yung-sang was fined \$15 for driving at an excessive speed in Caine Road.

Traffic Inspector Alexander said that the defendant drove at a speed of 30 miles an hour in Caine Road, and took the bend in Castle Road at nearly the same speed.

AN OLD THEORY CHALLENGED

ASIA NOT BIRTHPLACE OF HUMAN RACE

Washington, July 24. The theory of Dr. Henry Fairfield Osborn and Dr. Roy Chapman Andrews that the birthplace of the human race was in Asia has been disproved by discoveries in Africa, Professor A. S. Woodward, the British geologist, said to-day.

Dr. Woodward, in addressing the Geological Congress, described in detail some of the work that has been carried on in Africa.

Human remains—and further evidences of the origin of the human race have been found in geological formations in Africa older than those found anywhere in Asia, Dr. Woodward said. These formations are considerably older geologically than those surrounding the Peking Man. They are ample evidence that the

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New York.—Al fresco is bring-
ing natural coloured, linens and
matching china out into the open
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Whether you eat inside or out,
the table that sticks to natural
coloured china and simple, natural

coloured linen set with gay touches
of vivid colour is considered smart
just now.

The trick in getting up an un-
usual table setting is to have some-
thing unusual and then subordinate
the rest of the setting to it.

Straw Gives Colour

Very smart and appealing is a
table that plays up to two things.
The first is an Italian blowing glass
decanter set, with straw holders
striped in red and blue. The sec-
ond is a pair of little straw coloured
flower pots with red and blue flow-
ers on them that hold bread sticks.

With these colourful articles as
a starter, the table is laid with
natural linen squares, with the
same red and blue in their re-
strained decoration that appears
in the decanter set and the flower
pots. The china used is a sim-
ple, fluted design in straw coloured
china.

Fruit Final Touch

Blue Italian glasses with their
colourful straw bases, are particu-
larly attractive. To give it a final
touch of appeal, the little vine
jar and oil jug is also of the same
blue blown glass as are the tumblers
and decanter.

YOUR CHILDREN.

The "Thin Child" Needs
A Doctor

By Olive Roberts Barton.

If a child is too thin, if he is
nervous, a bad colour and stoop-
shouldered, I should take him at
once to the doctor and stop trying
to guess the cause.

Many mothers with such children
begin to worry about worms. In
they don't, some of the neighbours
suggest it. Then there is a trip to
the chemist and some medicine is
bought and administered to the
supposed sufferer.

This is, of course, wrong. In the
first place, the chances are largely
against it being worms. In the
second place if that is the trouble
the prescribing should be done by
a doctor. I have seen several of
such cases in my life, where home
diagnosing and prescribing did harm.
There are several good vermin-
fusers on the market but the amount of
dosage depends upon many things
and it takes a doctor to determine
what and when one is needed.

What causes loss of weight, colour
and good posture in a child?

Digestion Is the Vital Thing

If he is getting the variety of
foods he needs, regular wholesome
meals, milk, vegetables, fruits,
starches, fats, carbohydrates (sugars
and starches), cereals, bread and
good fresh meat, eggs or fish, the
usual varied diet necessary to health
—if all these things are regular and
he is not stuffing on sweets between
meals, to take away his appetite,
then there is something else wrong.

On such a diet he should not be
a victim of inanition, but he may
be.

Because malnutrition does not
depend altogether on what he eats. It
is what he digests that counts.
Many children from the best of
homes who receive daily a carefully
thought-out diet are still under-
nourished because they cannot
digest.

Infections Cause Trouble

The causes of failure to take care
of food are many. Perhaps one of
the most common is a chronic in-
fection somewhere. An infection that
empties its poison into the blood
stream and thereby robs the blood
of its ability to absorb and distribute
needed nourishment to the body, is
something to be looked into.

The doctor will make a careful
examination of the mouth and
throat and nose, the most common
sources of trouble. If he discovers
no focus of infection there he may
be able to locate it elsewhere.

Bad tonsils or teeth may be ac-
countable, or a nose or ear condition
not suspected. Infection does not
necessarily mean soreness or pain.
Sometimes a severe illness leaves an
obscure infection that only profes-
sional tests will bring to light.

Nervousness Is Injurious

Nervous children, children who
are getting too little rest and sleep,
and those who are sensitive and
high-strung are frequently under-
weight. When nerves tighten, the
stomach, intestines and other diges-
tive organs cannot do their work
and too little food is digested and
absorbed. Sometimes the blood it-
self loses the property of attracting
needed chemicals.

The proper thing to do is to have
a child weighed regularly—any once
a month. If he is losing, or not
gaining at least a little, if he is
plainly a "fatigue" child, regard-
less of his appetite I should certainly
see a doctor. Never let it run on.

GLORIFYING
YOURSELF

By Alicia Hart

Look in your mirror often dur-
ing summertime.

The intense summer light is
much harder on beauty than chilly
aloof winter.

Have your mirror so that you see
yourself in bright, vivid daylight.
Preferably with southern or south-
west light, which is the nearest
equivalent to outdoor daylight, in
summertime.

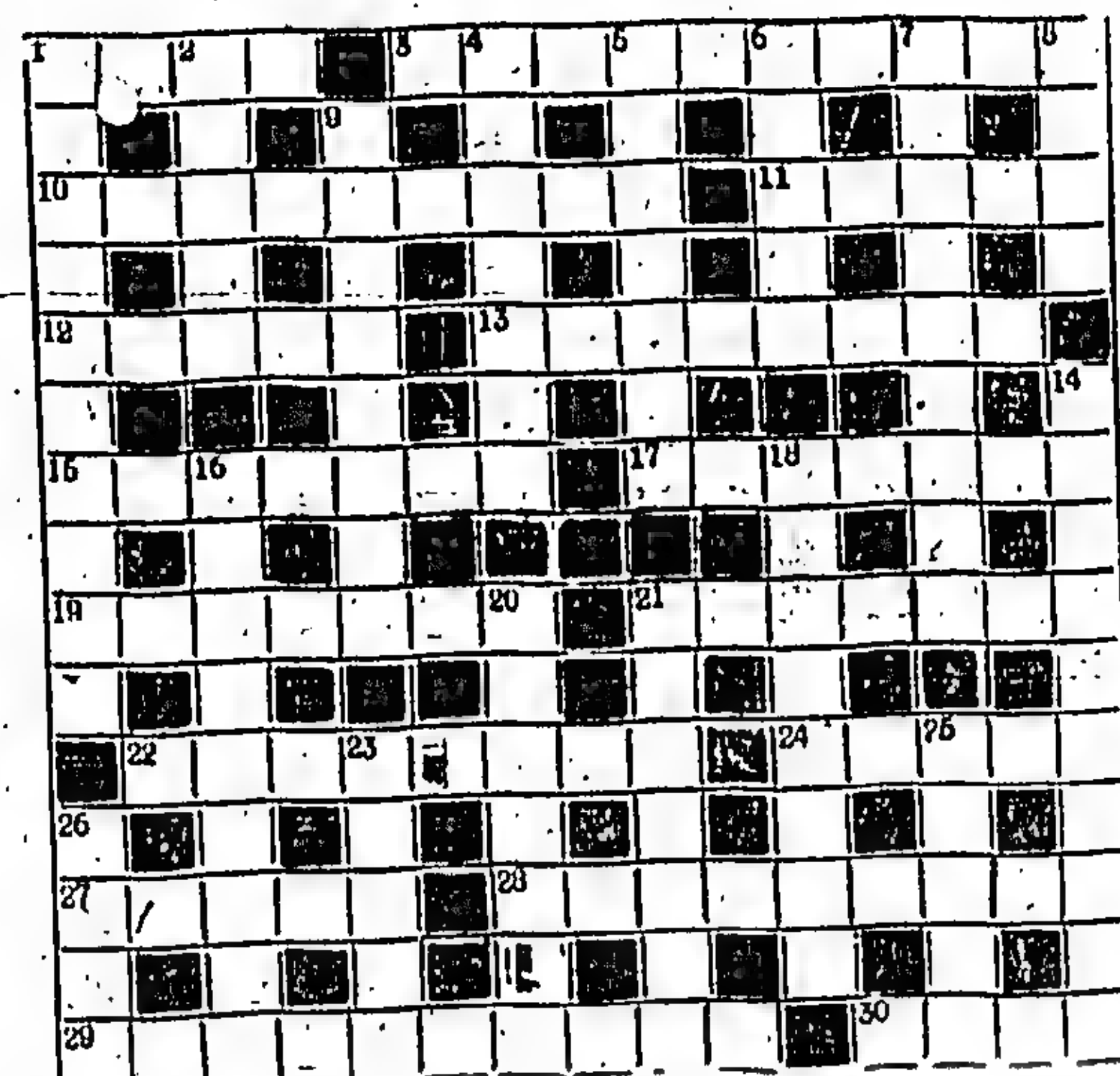
One secret of always being at
ease about the way you feel is to
makeup in the glaring sunlight.
Then, no matter where you ap-
pear, you know you must look all
right. The chances are that you
will have the edge, because you
have prepared for the worst and
so when you appear with a brim-
med hat or on some neighbour's
porch, you are being subjected to
less beauty strain than you equat-
ed on.

One of those magnifying mir-
rors may hurt a lady's vanity but
it is a mighty nice thing to have.
They show up every blackhead,
every superfluous little hair on
your face, every straggly eyebrow
hair that should be plucked.

By all means use one, if you
have it, when you begin operat-
ing on your face for any blemish
such as blackheads. It is a big
help.

Also, if you make-up by a mag-
nifying mirror and then take a
last glance at yourself in your
long glass, you'll be all set up at
how grand you look in the ordi-
nary mirror.

Summer beauty is a composite
of minor details. The sum total
is what your friends judge you by.



- Across
- 1 You're bound to get credit for this.
 - 3 Orderly, though in a medical setting.
 - 10 I've given up thinking what this is worth.
 - 11 Turn back to her—not this one.
 - 12 War operation that is inside.
 - 13 Unskilled.
 - 15 Though very upsetting, this cus-
tom is very prevalent.
 - 17 In such silken gown the mediae-
val lady sat round.
 - 19 After the manner of the country.
 - 21 Centre of great activity in a
wood.
 - 22 If you haven't been for a holiday
yet you'll get a shade of colour
here meanwhile.
 - 24 You may require to obtain it be-
fore taking it.
 - 27 Dye.
 - 28 Sing with an organ to make
sound of distress.
 - 29 Rabelais' hero.
 - 30 Close with intent.
- Down
- 1 I'd try a pose (anag.).
 - 2 Sounds a suitable material to
put round the brows of heroes.
 - 4 Making smooth.
 - 5 They are never happier than
when one puts one's foot down
on their wires.
 - 6 Hang.
 - 7 Sticking together.
 - 8 Peer.
 - 9 Likely to improve matters.
 - 14 Engineer who made an unfeeling
remark about a "eco."
 - 16 French town.
 - 18 Clattering.
 - 20 You may become so, but every-
one else grows older.
 - 21 With broken toes one becomes
sour—not unnaturally.
 - 23 Feminine name.
 - 25 Another feminine name—that is,
after another.
 - 26 There's a little informal dance
in the place where mechanics
work.

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BOARD SEEKS TO BUY
JAPAN'S RIGHTS

Nanking, July 31.

The Board of Directors of the

Kiaochow-Tsinan Railway has
decided to put aside Yen 2,000,000
monthly, for the purpose of redeem-
ing the railway from the Japanese.
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DARLING FOOL

by MABEL McELLIOT

CHAPTER XLVII

They stood there, flaring at each other. The man, tall and lean and straight, his eyes darkened with something very like fury. The girl, small, golden, in a dress of some thin soft stuff, her head thrown back, defying him.

Kay, coming to the door of the living room, stared for a moment. Then comprehension dawned in her eyes and, unseen by both combatants, she slipped away.

"What business is it of yours whom I marry?" Monnie O'Dare repeated defiantly.

Charles Eustace, two steps below her on the narrow flight of stairs, smiled ironically. She was so lovely in her anger. He did not answer and this enraged Monnie further.

"It's none of your affair!" she flared hotly. "You don't care what happens to me, anyhow. You never did."

"Ah, don't I?" Charles' irony was marked now. Folding his arms and leaning against the balustrade, he considered this. "What makes you think that?"

Monnie was trembling with anger and excitement. She did not even bother to answer his question. "Treating me as you have the past few weeks," she pursued, following some grievance of her own. "Coming to the office to-day, and speaking to me so—so—" her voice broke indignantly on the words but she found it again after a moment.

"Then to come here to-night—to behave so badly—showing all of us just what a frightful opinion you have of me!"

Charles interrupted this tirade to ask coolly, "What makes you think I have a bad opinion of you?"

"You used to be my friend,"

Monnie rushed on, quite as if he had not spoken. "You used to be so—well, really wonderful. Last summer—last spring."

"Ah, yes. But that was then," the young man reminded her cryptically.

"I wasn't any different," Monnie reproached him. "I was the same. What's changed you?"

Charles shook his head, almost sadly. "You've not changed? And yet you're going to marry this fellow?"

"He's fine and honourable and good," Monnie defended her absent suitor. "He'll take care of me as I want to be taken care of. Anyhow, it can't possibly concern you. You and your—your Contessa!"

She fairly flung the title at him. Charles, whitening under the attack, could not help smiling.

"My Contessa? I don't know what you're talking about."

"Oh, don't you? Didn't you fight a duel for her last year, didn't she break your heart?"

There, she didn't care how she hurt him. She wanted to. He deserved it!

In an instant Charles' strong fingers were gripping her arms. He was looking down at her with an expression of amusement and impatience.

"You little fool," he said in a caressing voice which took the sting from the words. "You—darling—little fool."

Suddenly Monnie was limp in his arms, was sobbing against his shoulder. Tenderly Charles lifted her streaming face.

"I'm sorry. You know I didn't mean that." He was no longer arrogant but strangely humble. "You know how I feel about you, Monnie O'Dare."

Somehow, Monnie never knew

exactly how although later she tried hard to remember, they were sitting side by side on the shabbily carpeted stairs. Charles' big handkerchief, smelling of tobacco and a faint whiff of cologne, was in her hands.

"My Contessa," as you call her," the young man was saying very gently, "was a beautiful and very heartless young woman who led me a pace for a time. I didn't crack up over her. I was a wreck to begin with and finding out what a shell she was just put the crying touch on me."

"You were in love with her then," Monnie accused, feeling weak as water at the thought.

"I was—well, fascinated," explained Charles, patiently. "I was ill—not quite bright in the head, I imagine. When I found out what she was really like—using me as a stalking horse for her own purposes—I went a little gaga. I came back home, hating life, hating everybody. Then—"

She prompted him. "Yes, then?"

"I met you," Charles told her. "You know this—you must know it, Monnie. I've been in love

with you from the start." Did she know it. At any rate it was sweet to hear him say the words. They were what her heart had been hungering for. In all the world there seemed to be only this tall young man with the fine head and the purposeful voice.

"I know where I stood with you," Charles went on. "I knew how you felt about—him."

Monnie shivered. Had she, indeed, forgotten Dan already? No, this was something quite different from what she had felt for Dan Cardigan. All that old love and longing had been mixed up, somehow, with her thwarted and poverty-stricken girlhood. Didn't there been, in all of it, some desire to "show" Belvedere? And she wanted Dan for what he stood for? No—no—she told herself passionately. It wasn't that. She had really loved him, with a girl's love. She had set her heart on him. They hadn't been in the least suited to each other. Their marriage would have been a disaster. But opposition had made their infatuation only stronger.

With her now, sharply matured viewpoint she saw all this. Something of all this she tried to tell her lover, haltingly.

"It's not that I've forgotten Dan," she said loyally. "I never shall. He belongs to my youth—"

Charles, wanting to laugh at

her young solemnity in this, took her two small hands in his own and said gravely:

"I never dared before to ask you if I had a chance, because of Dan. When he was alive, I felt you were wholly his. And after he died, well, then, I was afraid you had dedicated yourself to his memory. You were almost like a nun, remote, spiritual. It was only after I discovered this Mackenzie chap was in the running again that I decided I might have a chance. But you were so stiff—so unapproachable—"

She drew herself up at this, pretending to be angry.

"It was you who were stiff. And all that talk of the girls you went about with, the parties—"

Charles laughed in delight. "Jealous little cat!"

"I'm not!"

After an interval of murmuring, Monnie straightened saying in a scandalized tone: "Do you realize what time it must be? Mother will think we're quite mad."

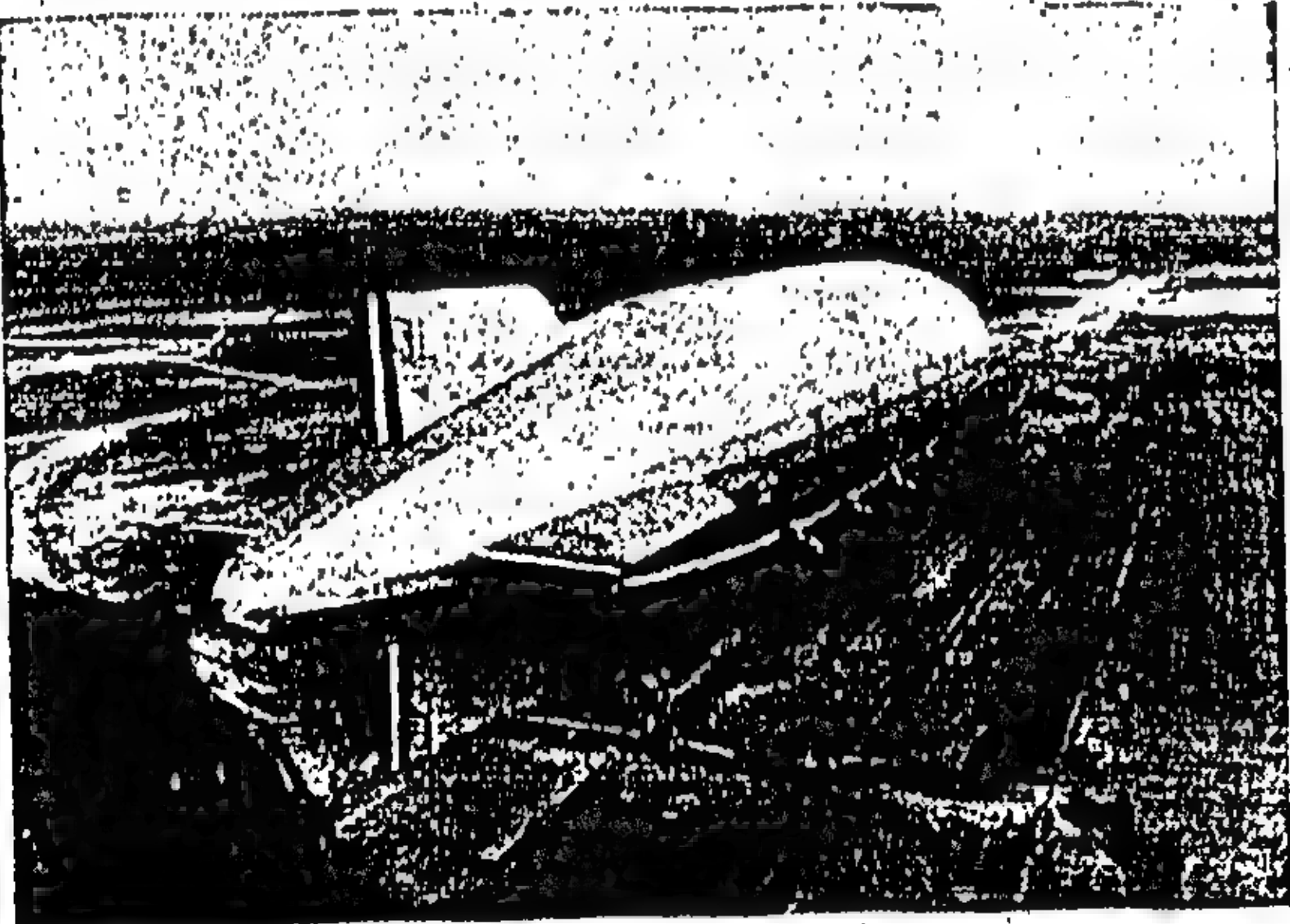
He helped her to her feet and she awayed against him.

"What am I going to say to Arthur when he calls?" she wailed, perplexed. "Oh, Charles, I was going to be so cool, so wise! I was going to do wonderful things for the family with Arthur's money."

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Fifty thousand Romans and pilgrims crowded St. Peter's Square in Rome as Pope Pius XI revived the celebration of the Feast of Corpus Christi with the first papal parade outside the Vatican since 1870. The photo shows His Holiness sitting on a platform borne by twelve papal valets while mace and torch-bearers and Noble and Swiss guards march at his side.



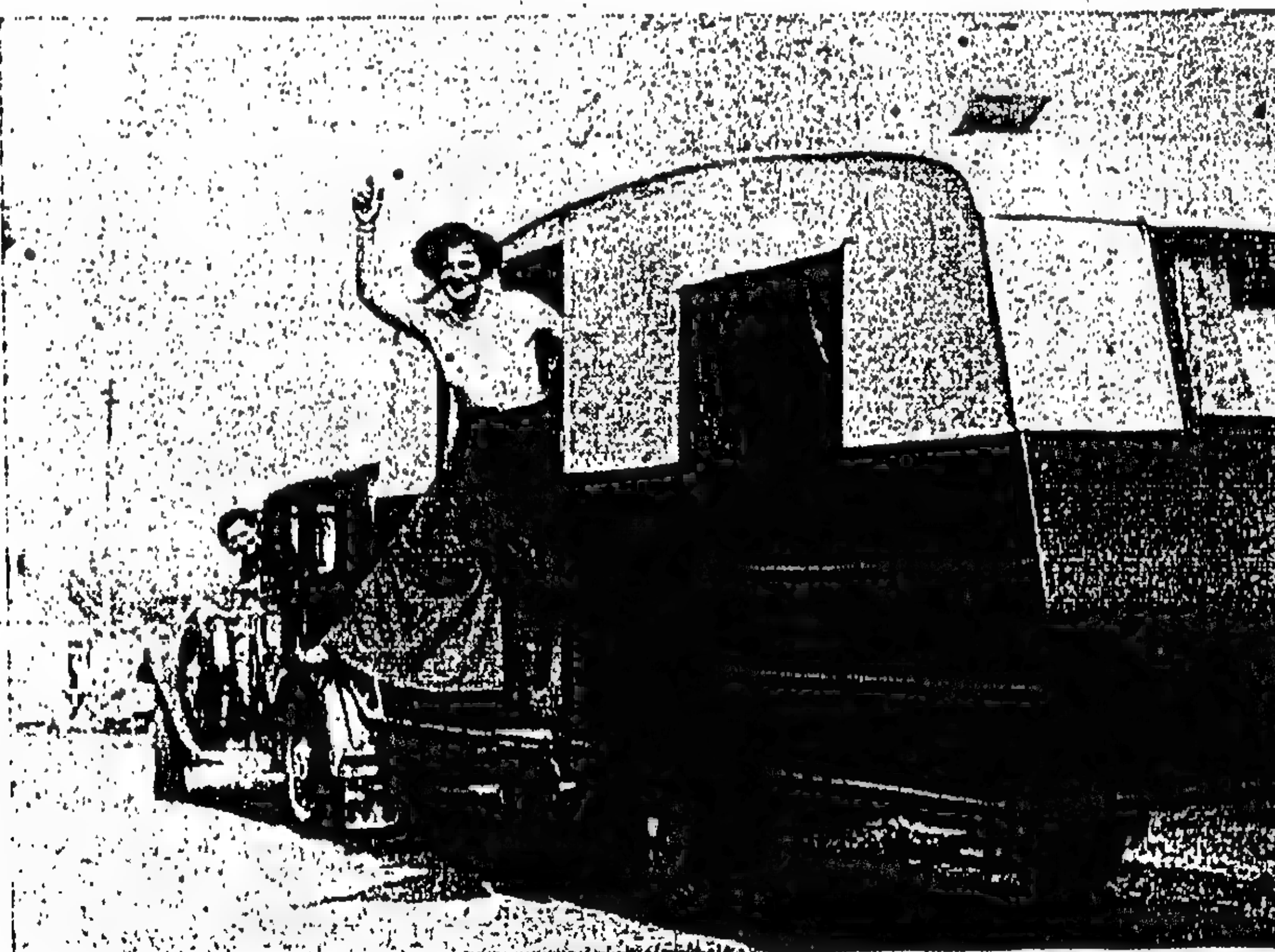
The U.S.S. Macon, the sister ship to the ill-fated Akron, photographed as she berthed at Lakeshurst, New Jersey. (Planet News).



Twenty-four hours after Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., film star, stepped from the S. S. Bremen in New York upon his return from London to wave this cheery greeting, he was critically ill with pneumonia in a New York hospital. Young Doug had gone abroad soon after his divorce from Joan Crawford.



The Duchess of York smiling as she arrived at the new club for boys and girls provided by the City Parochial Foundation at Dagenham. The Duchess performed the opening ceremony. (Planet News).



Miss Gracie Fields, famous music-hall artiste, takes a motor caravan to transport her to various parts of England. Here she is seen waving goodbye as she left with a friend for a trip into the country. (Planet News).



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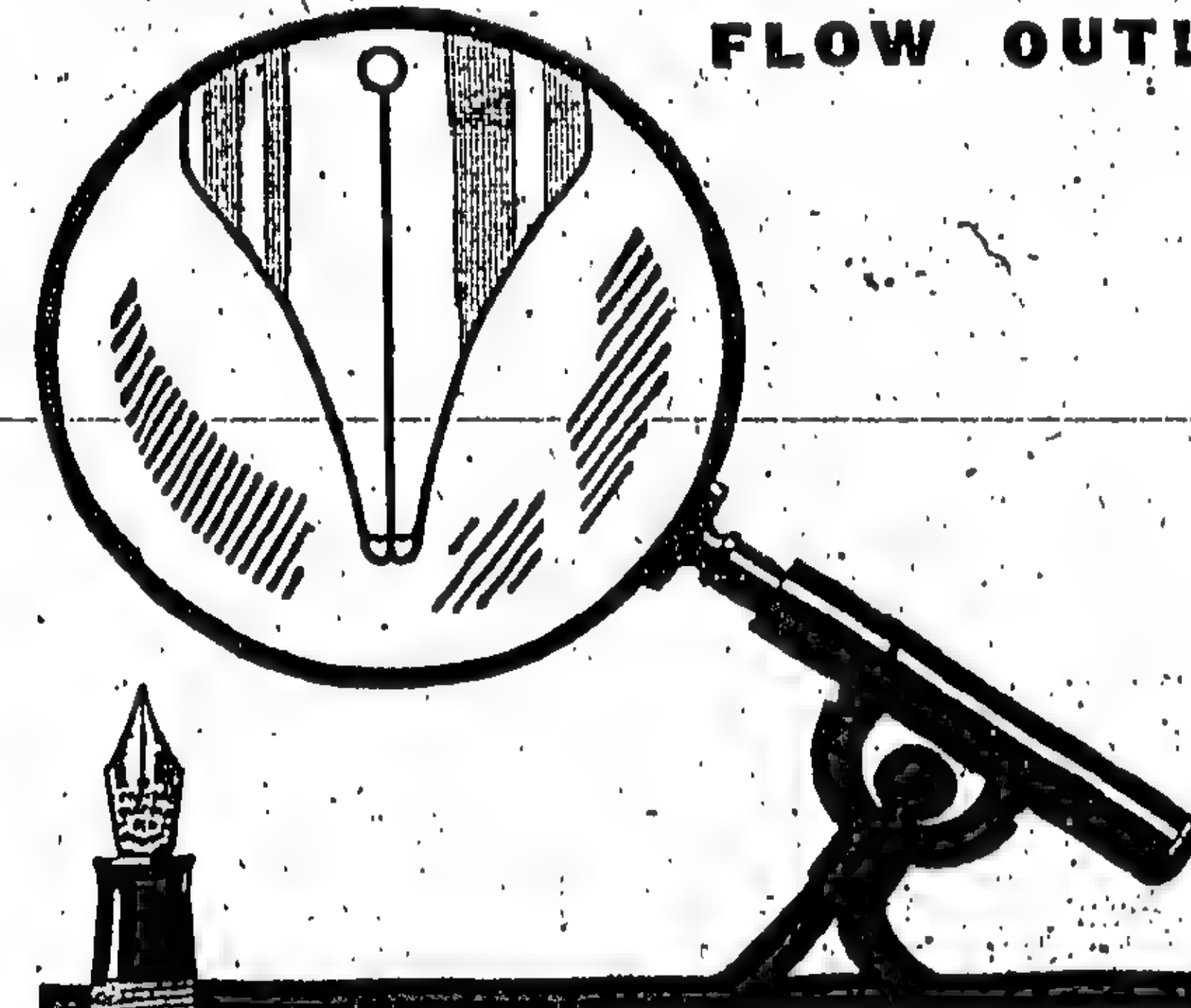
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the REGISTER of MEMBERS of the Company will be closed from WEDNESDAY, 9th, to TUESDAY, 22nd AUGUST, 1933, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
 W. F. SIMMONS,
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 Hongkong, 1st August, 1933.

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 Hongkong, 1st August, 1933.

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 Notice is hereby given, effective 1st November, all rates of freight quoted in the above tariff will be increased 20%.
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NOTICE

Re The Estate of Leung Yan Po alias Leung Shiu Lun, late of Victoria, in the Colony of Hong Kong, Compradore, Deceased.

All persons having any claim against the Estate of the above-named deceased are hereby requested to send in full particulars of same to the undersigned on or before the 5th of August, 1933.

Dated the 20th day of July, 1933.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an INTERIM DIVIDEND of FOUR per cent. (4%) for the six months ended 30th June, 1933, amounting to FORTY cents per share on each share of the Company will be paid on FRIDAY the 4th August, 1933, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Registered Office of the Company, Exchange Building, 4th floor.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY the 29th July to FRIDAY the 4th August, 1933, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.
 W. L. MCKENZIE,
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 Hongkong, 11th July, 1933.

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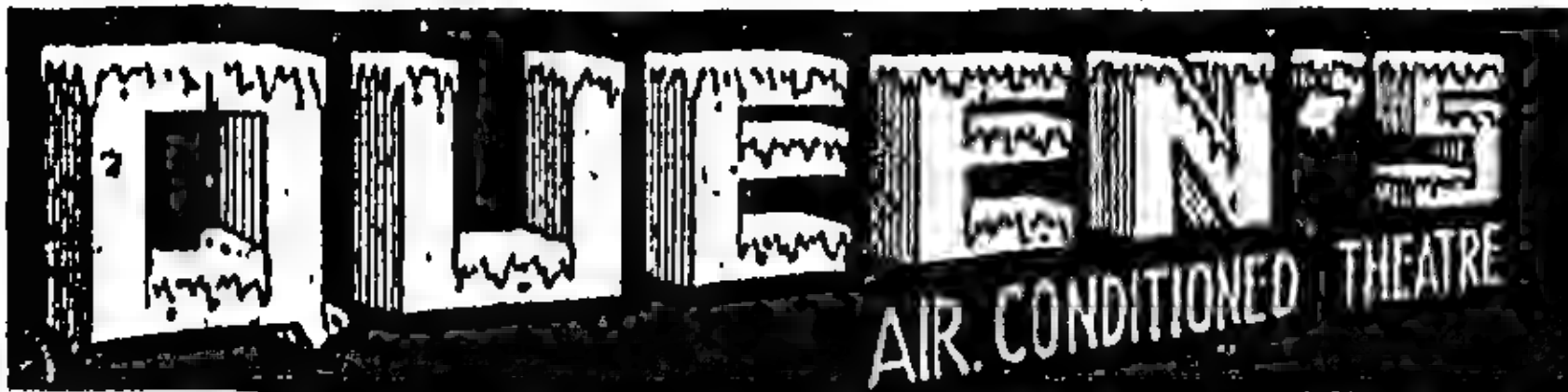
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(BY "CELLULOID")

FOR the past two or three years British film companies have been building up a reputation for dispensing comedy of a quality second to none. The reputation has been acquired through the medium of pictures of the type of *Sunshine Susie*, *The Love Race*, the Aldwych farces and comedies, *Canaries*, *Sometimes Sing*, *Thank Just My Luck*, etc., etc., *Up for 't Coop*, *Splinters In The Navy*, and a host of others. Each has borrowed something from the other in cinematic technique, endowing mere stage plays with the peculiar qualities of the camera, the expression of sound music and the art of the scissors. The final result is to be seen at the King's Theatre to-day, where *Love On Wheels*, featuring Jack Hulbert and Gordon Harker, is enjoying a highly successful run.

THIS picture is undeniably the acme of good cinema blended with pantomime. And indeed the mixing of these two elements is no easy sit-back-in-your-armchair job. Pantomime and tomfoolery does not lend itself to the finer points of cinema as does drama, satire or even melo-drama. The predominant problem before the director is the use of dialogue and action. The excessive use of one will probably ruin the other. The cameraman has to fasten on satirical symbols, the musical arranger to score appropriately, and the cutter to see that the sequences do not develop from the sublimely ridiculous to the bless-my-soul-how-interminable.

WELL, for the most part, Victor Saville and his colleagues have succeeded in accomplishing these necessities and have made *Love on Wheels* a credit to themselves and to the English film industry. One of the most pleasing improvements in home-made productions is the care being shown in the titles. First impressions are reputed to be best, and certainly it strikes true when associated with film. Ernest Lubitsch has made himself celebrated on the strength of his masterly titling and opening sequences. To throw the audience immediately into the atmosphere of the picture and its story is Lubitsch's first thought. It is a pleasure to see that Victor Saville is not afraid to follow such a lead.

LOVE On Wheels boasts some opening scenes which compare favourably with anything seen on the modern screen. Here Greenbaum, the photographer, has worked with consummate skill, obtaining sharp angles, clever lighting effects and real atmosphere. The theme is the awakening of a new day. Mamoulian treated it in his classic *Love Me To-Night*, when he depicted the birth of a morn in Paris. Saville does not obtain the pulsating rhythm of Mamoulian, though this is due to the fact that he gives the subject entirely different treatment. Its effect, however, is equally as pleasing. There are quick cuts from object to object, each having a delightfully whimsical relationship, such as the successive shots of the wife taking reducing treatment, the boy cleaning his teeth, the air being pumped into the tyre of the motor bus, and the corpulent old gentleman performing his breathing exercises. It is not a deep complicated study in expressionism, but it forms a perfect introduction to the central characters and to the story.

WITH the plot naturally as thin as water, the appeal of the film automatically depends on the ability of the players and the development of details by the technicians. The harmonious working of these two sections plays a leading part in the success of the picture. Hulbert for instance smiles his broadest smile and the photographer improves upon it with a clever close up. When Hulbert dances his feet are



Elissa Landi, Ernest Truax and Marjorie Rambeau as they appear together in "The Warrior's Husband" a coming attraction at the King's Theatre.

YOU CAN SEE THESE TO-DAY.

King's:—"Love on Wheels"
Queen's:—"Song of the Eagle"
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World:—"Reaching for the Moon"

WEDNESDAY.

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Majestic:—"Secrets of the French Police"

caught in all sorts of positions by the focus of the camera, whilst the cutter adds beauty to the shots with some smart scissor work. Possibly the best example of this cohesive work between actors and technicians is to be seen in the drunk scenes. The whole thing is marvellously acted by Hulbert and Harker, and brilliantly treated and dressed up by their assistants.

FROM the technical viewpoint I felt there were only one or two flaws and those confined entirely to cutting. The sequence of the chase in the departmental store could have been vastly reduced and would have lost nothing. I imagine Saville tried to capture some of the art infused into a similar scene by Rene Clair, but the camera does not assist him to the same extent, and there is too much repetition. Gordon Harker is amusing, but I tired of seeing Jack Hulbert and Leonora Corbett running in opposite directions, to find each other.

THE acting is splendid. Jack Hulbert and Gordon Harker made an ideal combination. Harker has proved himself indispensable to the light comedy screen and is without equal in his diversity of portrayals. Jack Hulbert's dancing is always a sheer joy, and although he may not appeal to one as being quite so riotously funny as in Jack's *T.T. Boy*, this may largely be accounted for by the presence of Gordon Harker, who steals a lot of the laughs originally intended for Hulbert.

THE supporting cast maintains the standard of the principals. Edmund Gwenn, now celebrated in Hongkong for his delineation of the Mayor in *Tell Me To-Night*, adds to his reputation and Leonora Corbett is perfectly charming. *Love on Wheels* is undoubtedly the film of the week.



Glamorous Joan Crawford as she appears in "Rain" a brilliant picture which co-stars Walter Huston

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I found *Song of the Eagle* more fascinating as a searching study of America in a political, economic, industrial and social cataclysm, than its advertised appeal of being the "tender tale of two lovers groping for happiness." In its final analysis the picture attempts to offer suggestions for the wiping out of the beer racketeer of 1933 by the law abiding brewers selling legalised 3.2. And the solution offered makes a most significant gesture, equivalent to saying "well, the Arm of the Law has failed; now let the public take a hand." So we find the police unofficially condoning an attack on the racketeers by an army of hired unemployed, but refusing to take part in the affair themselves.

BUT it is the earlier scenes which are the most impressive. The panorama of big events which have filled the pages of American history since 1916. The prohibition of beer, the war, the return of the soldiers to find the public houses closed and the Eighteenth Amendment in force. The rise of the gangsters and racketeers, the election of President Roosevelt and the passing of the Beer Bill. These are pictorial expressions of facts. They are vividly presented by means of highly advanced cinematic craft. The individual actors fade into insignificance beside the drama of the incidents. It is brilliantly portrayed.

AFTER this we have to get down to suppositions and fancies, and the purely personal element enters the film. Where before the picture was national in character it becomes individual. The schemings of Charles Bickford as the gangster leader, the struggle for honest existence by Jean Hersholt, Richard Arlen, Mary Brian and Louise Dresser, the murder of Jean Hersholt and the subsequent revenge obtained by Louise Dresser. These become the essentials of the picture, and one somehow feels that the dynamic appeal of the film has been lost. Nevertheless full marks must be given to the players for their able work. There is not a single weakness in the cast, whilst the technical side always keeps up its amazingly efficient standard. *Song of the Eagle* is in many respects an extremely good picture. Its defects are slight and it is a splendid example of American polish.

HERBERT Wilcox has discovered many other stars, but none having a potential brighter future than Anna Neagle, who is to be seen at the Central Theatre to-morrow in *The Little Damozel*.

ANNA Neagle played in the greatly successful film, *Good Night, Vienna*, opposite Jack Buchanan. She then revealed a charming personality of exceptional beauty, with a lovely speaking voice, and, above all, with the true feminine grace which is the distinctive characteristic of the leading women stars of Hollywood. All Anna Neagle needed to place her feet firmly on the ladder that leads to star rank was intelligent direction. (Continued on Page 2.)

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COAL DUMP

An interesting suggestion has been made as an outcome of the agitation concerning the coal dump nuisance in Chatham Road. It is that part of the vacant land on the harbour side of the railway should be utilised for the new Central British School. When the reclamation scheme in this region was embarked upon, the purpose in mind was the construction of warehouses. There were dreams of a through railway route to Calais and the development of Kowloon as a great railway depot, the terminus of thousands of miles of railway linking the Far East with Russia, Europe and Great Britain, ousting the sea route in importance for the carriage of goods. That was many years ago. Transport facilities have developed along lines which have caused those ambitions to fade peacefully away—and while a beneficial effect will doubtless be experienced when the Canton-Hankow Railway is completed, it is more or less taken for granted that the original conception will never materialise and, it is suggested, the land owned by the railway from Holt's Wharf to Chatham Road Bridge will never be required for the purpose for which it has been reserved for many years. If this view of the situation is an accurate one, it seems a defeatist sort of attitude to permit the area to be used as a coal dump, hence the suggestion for exploiting it usefully. To-day, there are few projects more urgent in the public interest, than the provision of a new Central British School. The accommodation, or lack of it, in the existing building, is little short of a scandal. It caters for children from both sides of the Harbour; it is grossly overcrowded; many applicants for education there are turned away because there is no room to squeeze in even another one. Adding to this problem is the increasing tendency for more and more Europeans to make their permanent home in the Colony and to educate their children here. The Government is seeking to meet the requirements of the situation and has allocated a site for new school buildings in the Prince Edward Road district. But there are many objections to this site. It will involve Hongkong children in hours of travelling. Considerable site preparation will be necessary. On the railway ground, construction work could be commenced almost at once, with ample space for playing grounds and swimming facilities. The idea is worth looking

NOTES OF THE DAY

The various considerations submitted to Government in efforts to secure a reversal of the decision to turn the Chinese swimming clubs out of the North Point district appear to have made little impression, if we may judge from the report that Chaiwan Bay has been offered as an alternative site. The offer seems much in keeping with the original decision to resume North Point. It ignores all the peculiarities of the special needs of the Chinese who make use of the swimming clubs. Chiefly does it ignore the transport problem. And, when all is said and done, the issue has arisen solely because the government has adopted a policy of forcing on development, of stimulating the Colony's hothouse growth, of encouraging land speculators. It does not cause pleasant reflections.

WHY BOROTRA DID
NOT PLAY.

Judging from observation passed during the week-end, there appeared to be a popular misconception in Hongkong regarding the rules relating to the Davis Cup. It was suggested that Lacoste would play Jean Borotra in the final singles in an attempt to snatch a victory. Unfortunately perhaps for Franco, Lacoste, the non-playing captain, had no such power to produce a dramatic climax. Were such a power invested in the rules, and Borotra had been willing to rescind his earlier decision, there is not the slightest doubt that he would have been against Perry in the final rubber. But the regulations prevented any switchback work of this kind, definitely laying down that 24 hours before each contest, (the four singles matches and the doubles match constitute two separate contests), the teams shall be nominated. Only if one of the singles team falls ill or is in any way incapacitated is it possible to introduce a substitute player. Borotra, therefore, could only have played in the singles if Merlin had become incapacitated. It is, perhaps, as well to clear up the point, or it might seem that Lacoste "gifted" the tie to Britain by ignoring an obviously attractive proposition.

SHOESHINE SIR?

The method of ameliorating the lot of Hongkong's waifs and strays by assisting them to become shoeshiners, is praiseworthy, but it is a method which can easily be overdone. Of recent months the number of youngsters so employed has grown very considerably. A check taken yesterday along only the Pedder Street and Des Voeux frontages of Jardine's Building revealed no less than twelve shoe-cleaning outfits. At one place there were as many as eight in one group, eagerly importuning passers-by for custom. Nobody wishes to discourage them from earning an honest living, but they should not be permitted to become a nuisance.

BRITISH POLITICS

British political activities have brought some interesting developments lately. In the first place it has been clearly shown that the men who control the British Labour organisation, both on its political and its trade union side, are very far from having the revolutionary temper. Some of them are profoundly conservative in their instincts and habits. And these leaders will not easily be displaced. They know that when explosive elements flare up from time to time at party conferences they can afford to proceed quietly till the storm has blown over. No doubt a critical moment will occur a few years hence when Socialist leaders are returned to power by the electorate with a strong independent majority. When that happens—as it surely will happen—it is not likely that these men, whose whole concern will be not to shock a nation which has just declared confidence in them, will proceed to swift revolutionary action. The more possible danger is that Conservatives, fearing such consequences, may throw themselves into the arms of Sir Oswald Mosley and rashly

THOMAS BURKE ON
OTHER PEOPLE'S
PLEASURES

It is a common belief with most of us that other people never really enjoy themselves. They only appear to do so. We are certain of this because we are certain that nobody could possibly find enjoyment in the idiotic things other people do.

Other people's pleasures are to us as incomprehensible, and almost as obnoxious, as their vices. We listen to their talk about their pleasures as we would listen to candidates for a mental home.

I am old enough to remember when the car came in, and when all those who were not smitten with the car craze were emphatically announcing that nobody was going to tell them there was any pleasure in motoring. Motorists were as cranky as their cars; they only pretended to enjoy it.

I have the same feeling when I watch people playing bridge. Poor things, I feel; poor, unhappy things. With all the many real pleasures to be had, the best they know is to sit round a table and play cards.

And they feel the same about me.

I once asked a cartomaniac, who was looking for a fourth, and couldn't find one, to give it up and come with me to a concert. He didn't answer the invitation. He just looked at me with a puzzled frown, and walked away from the poor blighted creature whose idea of pleasure was listening to a lot of men scraping musical instruments.

I have a friend who in all general matters is wholesome and intelligent. But I am certain that he has a kink and will one day crack up.

The greatest pleasure that man knows, one that he loses no opportunity of indulging in, is to sit in the gallery of the House of Commons and listen to its debates.

He does not make a guilty secret of it, or confess it with shame. He will tell you openly, as a man will tell you about his rose-bushes, that he has spent three evenings of a week at the House, and thoroughly enjoyed them.

Then there are two old men I know who live together in a large house and have plenty of money for all the pleasures of mind and body. And what is their notion of pleasure? They have knocked the top floor of their house into one large room, and there, with three hundred pounds' worth of model railway lines and tunnels and signal-boxes and rolling-stock—there they spend their evenings.

There are those who have a right idea of pleasure, and yet perversely poison it. To spend a summer evening lying in a punt on a beautiful reach of an English river is a sensible thing to do. That, I believe, is true pleasure because I do it myself.

But there are some who, given this pleasure, will turn it to pain. They will bring to it their portable gramophones and befoul the sanctuary with dance-band music and hoarse voices moaning about

the wrongs done to them by their untrue love-birds.

And they say they enjoy it, and wonder at those others who say they enjoy lying in a punt in complete silence.

If you hear two acquaintances describing to each other what they did over the week-end you will often note that each regards the other as an oddity.

"What did you do, Sunday?"

"Had a lovely day. Sat in the garden the whole day and only moved for meals."

"Good lord!"

"What did you do?"

"Made a real day of it. Got the car out early—went over to some friends at Cookham. Played tennis till lunch. Then we all went off to Weybridge. Had a round of golf—then went on to some friends at Hampton. Had tea there and went on to Richmond and picked up a couple of friends and took 'em to town for dinner. After dinner went on to the Fandango Dance Club. Danced there till one, and had supper, then drove the whole party home."

"Lord, what a day!"

Millions of our fellow-creatures seem to find pleasure in playing games or in watching horses run, or in watching automobiles race; yet to some of us these things are the ultimate pit of boredom.

To listen to the talk of golf enthusiasts, cricket enthusiasts, racing enthusiasts is to set one wondering whether one is the only sane creature left in a mad world or the only mad creature in a sane world.

I have friends given to all these things, and I puzzle them as much as they puzzle me. They cannot understand why I don't "do things" and are always trying to get me out to do things in the firm belief that, sitting about as I do, I must be having a miserable time.

One of them has for years been trying to introduce me to a real pleasure—a pleasure surpassing wine, woman and song. So he says. This is

to go up to the Peak district, take off most of your clothes, put on a suit of overalls and then crawl on your stomach through narrow passages into

dene-holes and caverns. And then search for more passages to crawl through. And do this for hours and hours. I asked him why one did this and he said: "Well . . . the—er—the fun."

A week or so ago I was travelling to the South Coast by a slow train. The only other man in my carriage was a broad-shouldered, farmer-type of man. He sat moodily with folded arms, staring out of the window. I had my usual assortment of seven or eight daily and weekly papers, and as he looked bored and restless I said: "Would you care for something to read?"

"Something to what?"

"Something to read."

He looked at me; then at my collection of papers; then again at me. He spoke one word in a tone that put me and my pleasures into their true place.

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BY EDDIE KELLY, ORATOR

SPEAKING of public speaking, apropos of nothing and the same to you, we have seriously taken up the study of elocution.

In these days of economic depression, voice production has had to face its difficulties in common with other industries, and we feel that it is about time someone of note should give birth to a really fine speech, delivered in the old Gladstonian style, c.o.d., and all complaints to be addressed to the Public Prosecutor.

Johnson's flowing periods originated from a close acquaintance with the Old Apple Tree, and we may say with due modesty that we ourselves have already been called to the bar where we have attended without a stop except for an occasional coma.

It may be recalled that that fine orator, Cicero and Howl split an infinitive way back in the B.C's. When Women were Women and wore their own pants. Cicero and Howl was not a woman, though that would be a compliment compared with some of the things he was called.

Us elocutionists, or "cuties" as we permit ourself to call ourselves when we are on good terms with ourself, have to sacrifice a whole lot for the sake of our art. We lost our tonsils in our early teens and a whole lot of face at our first public meeting.

Every budding Socrates nowadays must stand on a soap box before he can address the great unwashed, but, to be candid, we found it better to bring our wee bit of soap and towel with us.

We recall our first after dinner speech with the same mixed feelings that we remember our last for-it-was-the only one we made.

We have always maintained that we should not have mixed our metaphors if our host had not mixed our drinks, nor should we have referred to his wife as a blushing dandelion if we had not spoken with the truthful tongue of inebriety.

But to pass on from this painful subject we come to our next public appearance, which was before the magistrates. Well be seeing you there.

LONDON CALLING

We are waiting for the day when Hongkong will be linked up with the Homeland by radio telephones. Boy, oh boy, oh boy, oh boy, won't it be fine when we can ring up the Girl Friend and tell her how we're missing her? At \$30 a minute it would go something like this:

US: Darling—
HER: Hello, darling, is that you. Guess who I saw yesterday. Do you remember Mr. Whistletooth, who used to nurse me when I was a baby. Well—

US: Darling—
HER: No, I didn't think you'd remember him. As a matter of fact, now I come to think of it, I don't believe you ever met him. Now I wonder who it was that I mistook for you. That's really fu—

US: But, darling—

HER:—any. Anyway, we had quite a long chat, and, dear, I mentioned about you being in that awful Hongkong, and he told me that he used to live there about twenty years ago, only he had to leave because the police closed all the cabarets or something silly like that. I didn't know there were any cabarets in Hongkong, dear, but I suppose—

US: (urgently) Yes, darling, but

HER: Oh, he must be right then. Anyway, we had some tea, and I took him shopping. Eddie, dear, I bought the most marvellous pair of pyjamas, all for you when we're married, dear (giggles). It's pale pink organdie, with white stripes and pink spots, and has the cutest buckle in the front. Mother said—

US: But, dearest, how—

HER: Mother? Oh, she's alright, although she still feels the same about me marrying you. But, never mind, dear, I'll do it whatever she says. Anyway, about the pyjamas, she said—

EXCHANGE: Your three minutes are up. Do you want an extension?

HER: Rather. Eddie, our time is up, and I've hardly had a chance to say a word to you. You haven't told me a thing about yourself either, dear, and I—

EXCHANGE: Do you want an extension?

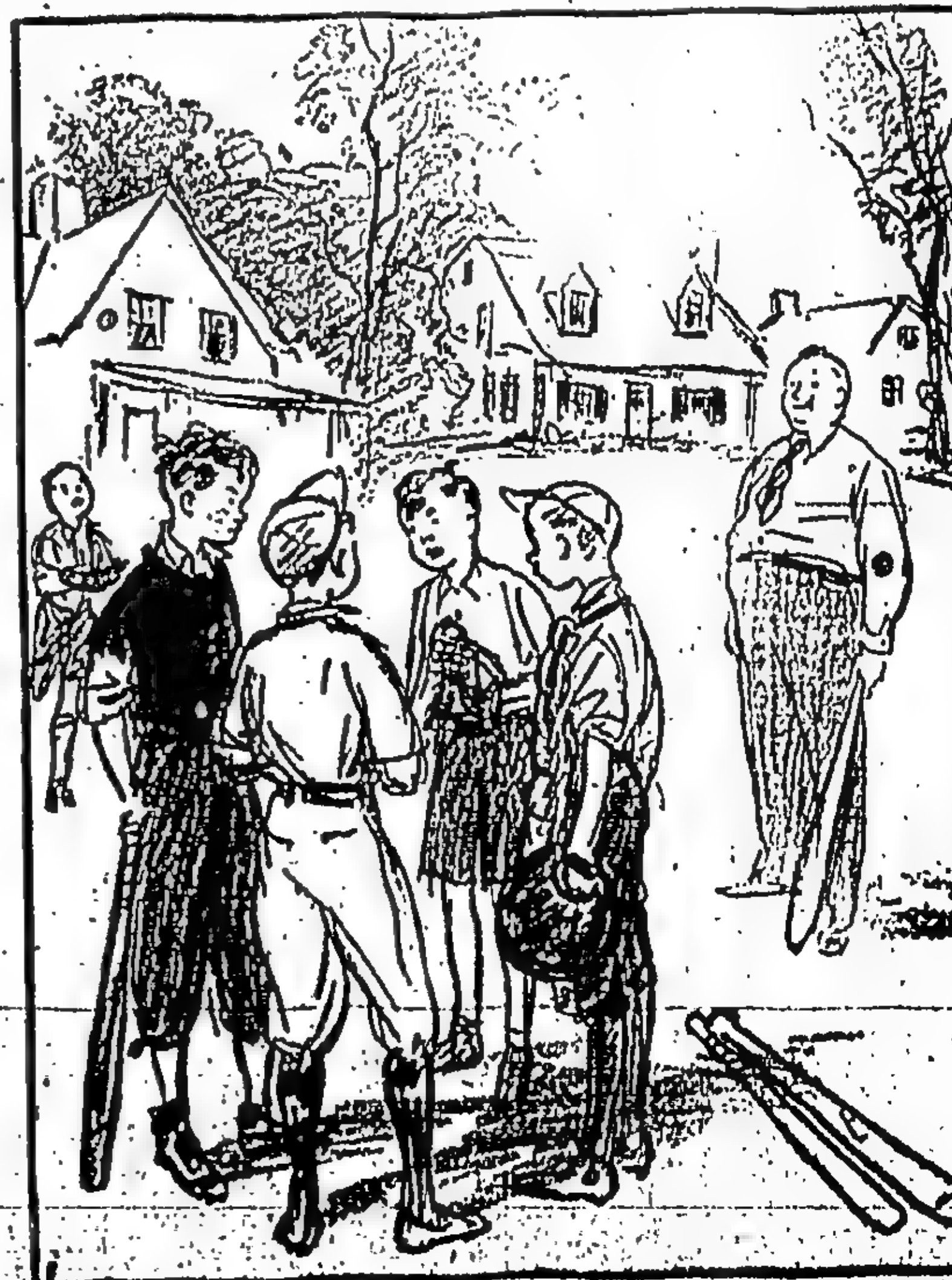
HER:—think it's awfully mean of you. Here I've been looking forward to this phone call for—

EXCHANGE: I must cut you off if you don't take an extension.

HER:—a whole week and I think—

HER: But, dear—

HER:—



Let's let dad play this time and I'll see that mamma



The mast for the new Z.B.W. station at Hung Hom, which is expected to begin transmissions in September.

U.S. PROSPERITY DRIVE

NEW FIGURES ON THE BOARD LABOUR GAINS A POINT

Washington, July 31. The National Recovery Administration has been strengthened by the appointment to the Industrial Advisory Board of Mr. James Moffett, who resigned his directorship of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey to support the campaign.

Other prominent figures in commercial and industrial life who have joined the Board are Mr. Harry Harriman, the President of the United States Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. R. L. Lund, the President of the Manufacturers Association.

LABOUR WINS.

Washington, July 31. Organised labour won the first round of the struggle to thrust out a National Recovery Code for the steel industry at this morning's hearing before the Administrator, Brigadier-General Hugh Johnson. The employers, who are traditionally opposed to the independent organisation of labour by outside bodies such as the United States Federation of Labour, submitted a Code specifically providing for a "Company Union" system, under which the workers of each Company will be organised under Company officials.

OWN METHODS.

An attack on the "Company Union" system by a spokesman of the Federation of Labour was supported by General Johnson and Mr. Thomas Lamont, President of the Iron and Steel Institute, and it was finally agreed to withdraw the clause.

The workers are thus technically free to choose their own methods of labour organisation, though Mr. Lamont added that owners will still endeavour to continue to deal with employees through the "Company Union."

The owners' Code provides a 40-hour week and a minimum weekly wage of fifteen dollars.—*Reuter.*

PROSPERITY.

Lasting prosperity cannot be attained in a nation that is half-booming and half-penniless is the attitude adopted by President Roosevelt.

The President made it plain that it was the Administration's opinion that, if industry co-operated with the Government as fully as did agriculture in reducing the cotton acreage, unemployment would cease and none would suffer because of economic conditions.

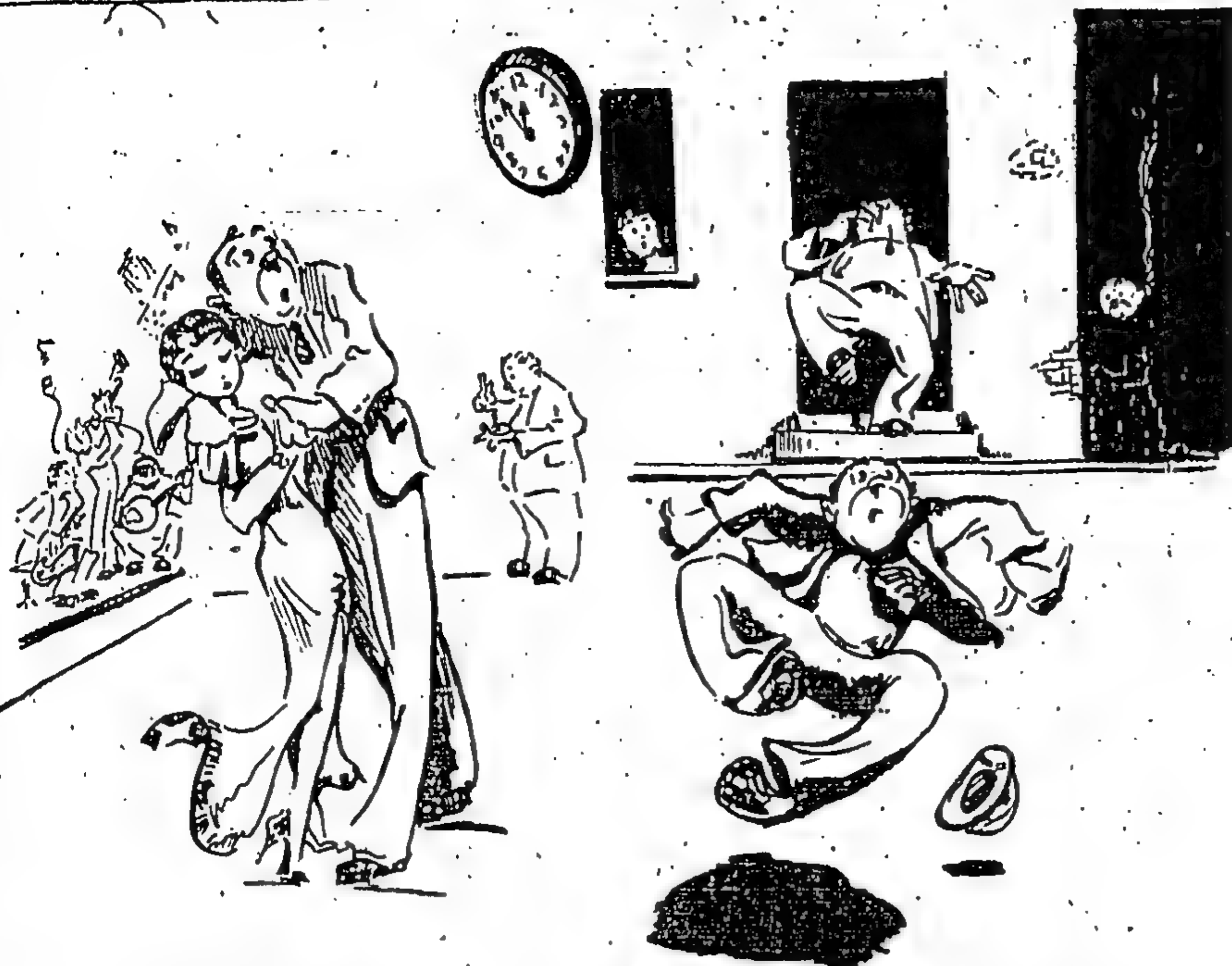
By shortening the hours of labour, over-production will be prevented, the President declared, and by a reasonable increase in wages, which industry can afford, the country's buying power will be increased in a short time to a point where economic suffering and unemployment will cease.

ANSWER TO CRITICS.

For the benefit of critics who recently declared that the Administration's economic programme was breaking down under its own weight, the President pointed to the things that the Administration has done and says that he is willing that it should be judged by them.

OIL PRODUCTION.

Washington, Aug. 1. The National Recovery Administration has submitted to the leaders of the oil industry a proposal for the Federal supervision



CABARET PROPRIETOR: IT HURTS US FAR MORE THAN IT HURTS YOU.

LONDON TUBE EXTENSION

TWENTY-FIVE MILES ON THE UNDERGROUND

NEW SECTION OPENED

London, July 31. The last section of the Tube railway extension from South Harrow to Cockfosters was opened to the public to-day.

The Tube railway which is twenty-five miles long is the longest underground in the world and the new addition just completed has cost about £5,000,000. On some sections, the speed now attained is three miles in five minutes.

Cockfosters was formerly a rural country spot, but housing estates have rapidly increased in numbers during recent years and it is estimated that the population of the neighbourhood will increase by 50,000 within the next few years.—*British Wireless.*

SETTLING AN ARGUMENT

RESULTS IN POLICE COURT CHARGE

The settlement of an argument over the loss of a pair of shoes, led to the appearance of a Chinese printer and a licensed hawk before Mr. Wynne-Jones this morning on a charge of disorderly conduct.

A Chinese constable who was on duty in Hollywood Road said he saw them fighting. On producing his truncheon they ceased.

The printer lost his shoes and saw the hawk wearing a pair which bore a resemblance to his. He questioned him and a fight ensued.

Both men were bound over to keep the peace for six months.

I.I.D. CERTIFICATES

Of the Societe Internationale de Placements, Basle (Switzerland) (Local Agents Messrs. A. Goeke & Co.). To-day's official quotation in Basle, excluding dividends accrued is £3. 3. 6d.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

IF HE COULD ONLY SEE HOW SMALL A VACANCY HIS DEATH WOULD LEAVE, THE PROUD MAN WOULD THINK LESS OF THE PLACE HE OCCUPIES IN HIS LIFETIME.—*Legouve.*

The N.S. Kidderpore left Singapore for this Port yesterday at 4 p.m. and is due here on the 6th instant at about 4 p.m.

"Most of the dumping in the central area is done by these children; I think they are taught by their parents," said Sanitary Inspector Stevens this morning when charging a Chinese girl with dumping rubbish in Upper Station Street. Mr. Wynne-Jones imposed a fine of

LIGHT FROM SEA WAVES

INVENTION MAY BE TESTED

AMAZING CLAIM

Madrid. An apparatus to generate electrical power from the movement of the waves of the sea, invented in 1928 by Senor Manuel Lopez Velez, may soon receive further tests.

Following tests made several years ago on the Cantabrian coast of Spain, attempts of the inventor to interest the government in the apparatus failed. Now he intends to seek the co-operation of the Republican government.

Senor Lopez Velez has visions of electric railways, and large industries, run at small cost with power generated with his invention. With a miniature apparatus, when the last tests were made, light was produced by utilizing a small dynamo.

Since making these tests the inventor has sought to perfect the machine, and he claims that it can now be employed at high tide or low tide and when waves are large or small. Power is generated by both the upward and downward movement of the waves.—*Reuter.*

PRESERVING THE OPOSSUM

MAN FINED £710 FOR HAVING 1,136 SKINS

Sydney, N.S.W. A man at Balranald, N.S.W., was fined £710 (12.6d a skin) for having had 1,136 opossum skins in his possession. He could have been fined £5,680!

In the eyes of the law, the life of the quaint little animal is assessed at £5, but such a valuation is a measure of protection against ruthless destruction for his commercially valuable skin.

Under the Birds and Animals Protection Act a magistrate has power to impose a maximum penalty of £5 for any bird or animal, or any portion of it, which, of course, includes the skin, found in a person's possession. No minimum penalty is fixed.

Although the Act covers a wide range of birds and animals, it is mainly in operation to protect opossums, as no other native creatures possess skins of such value to the hunter. The great majority of prosecutions under the Act concerns opossums.—*Reuter.*

UNDERGROUND "FINDS"

EXCAVATIONS IN LONDON

GREAT FIELD FOR RESEARCH

London. London is astonishingly varied as a field for research. Sometimes one wonders why archaeologists bother to loot Egyptian tombs when there is so much to be found nearer home.

Recently workmen excavating the 12th century crypt of the City Church of St. Olave in Hart-street made a really fascinating discovery. A sudden pick-thrust unearthed an ancient stone-lined well in a perfect state of preservation. It probably dates back beyond 1270.

St. Olave's, by the way, is rich in Samuel Pepys associations. He lived nearby, worshipped in the church and is buried in a vault near the communion table.

Work has begun to excavate the prehistoric Verulamium at St. Albans. This ancient British settlement is two thousand years old and must not be confused with the Roman city, much of which is already unearthed.—*Reuter.*

THE CORREGGIO PICTURES

MAY BE LENT TO PARMA

Parma. A request may be made by the city of Parma to the London National Gallery for the loan of the Correggio picture in the National Gallery for a Correggio exhibition to celebrate the fourth centenary of the Painter's death.

Parma, Correggio's native city, will celebrate the centenary next year. The city's picture gallery already has a famous collection of Correggios and the Parma academy of fine arts has expressed to the Ministry of Education its desire that other picture galleries—notably those of Florence, Milan, Rome, Paris and Vienna—should be asked to lend their treasures for an exhibition of the artists' collected works.

Parma has already lent some of its Correggios to London for the Italian art exhibition held at Burlington House in 1930.—*Reuter.*

FOREIGN LIQUORS FOR AMERICA

CLAMOUR FOR FAVOURS

Washington, July 25. With the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment looming as more of a certainty day by day, foreign powers are already clamouring to get favourable treatment for their wines, whiskeys, beers, etc.

France and half a dozen other countries to-day sounded American officials in London and Washington regarding the possibilities of tariff agreements on beverages.—*Reuter.*

RADIO BROADCAST

RELAY OF BRITISH FILM FROM KING'S

From Z. B. W., on wave length of 355 metres (84.5 k/c.). 4-5 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

5-6 p.m. A relay of the Band of the 1st Bn. South Wales Borderers, conducted by Bandmaster J. L. Geeks, from the Military Hospital, Bowen Road, by kind permission of the Officer Commanding.

6-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme. European programme.

7-10.30 p.m. European programme. 7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

7.30-7.30 p.m. Orchestral. Carmen Suite—Gypsy Dance (Bizet). Carmen Suite—Intermezzo and Les Dragons d'Alcala (Bizet).

Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra directed by Leopold Stokowski.

Tales from the Vienna Woods (Strauss).

Blue Danube (Strauss).

Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra directed by Leopold Stokowski.

The Sorcerer's Apprentice (Dukas).

Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra of New York directed by Arturo Toscanini.

7.30-9 p.m. A relay of "Love on Wheels" from the King's Theatre by courtesy of the Management.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

9-9.27 p.m. Gilbert and Sullivan Selections.

Vocal Gems—Patience.

Vocal Gems—The Pirates of Penzance.

Columbia Light Opera Company.

Selection—H. M. S. Pinnfore.

Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards.

9.27-9.37 p.m. From the Studio.

Hawaiian Selections by Ho Yuk Lum and Ho Luk Ming.

Programme.

1. Drowsy Waters.

2. My Walkie Mermaid.

3. Panau Waltz.

4. Anona.

9.37-9.53 p.m.

Sonata Appassionata (Beethoven, Op. 57).

Harold Bauer (Pianist).

9.53-10.30 p.m.

Symphony No. 6 in B Minor (Tchaikovsky, Op. 74) ("The Pathétique").

Played by The Symphony Orchestra conducted by Albert Coates.

10.30 p.m. Close Down.

All records in the above European evening programme are from Z. B. W.'s Library.

THE HOUSING PROBLEM

SOME OFFICIAL STATISTICS

CONDITIONS STILL BAD

London. Since the housing question has been one of the most important social problems of post-war England, great interest attaches to the figures about London County Council housing schemes which have just been published.

The Comptroller, in a memorandum, states that the total results under the various sections of the housing accounts for 1931-32 showed a deficiency of £1,026,200, which was met by: Contributions of Metropolitan Borough Councils £5,880; Exchequer subsidy £388,287; contributions from rate and other accounts, £392,161 rate a credit from surplus balances of £1,118. In the year 1930-31 the deficiency was £992,331.

The capital expenditure for 1931-32 amounted to £3,161,304, and the aggregate capital expenditure on housing up to March 31, 1932, amounted to £39,779,570, of which £37,414,236 was outstanding.

UNHEALTHY & OVERCROWDED.

The total accommodation provided under assisted schemes was 47,704 dwellings, according to the memorandum by the Council's Valuer, who states that "there is still a large section of the community living in unhealthy and overcrowded conditions whose circumstances are such that they cannot reside at a distance from their work places."

"A large proportion of the tenants, especially those on post-war estates," he adds, "have been accustomed to residing in overcrowded and unsatisfactory conditions in central London and it has been a matter of great satisfaction to observe how readily most of them accustom themselves to their new environment."

A great demand for accommodation continues, and is indicated by the fact that during the year the number of applicants who called at the central office to apply for houses was about 98,200, and more than 104,000 inquiries were made by letter.—*Reuter.*

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THE BRIGHT SIDE.

LONGER STAY IN PORT FOR TRANSIT PASSENGERS

When the States Steamship Line's steamer General Pershing pulled out from the Kowloon Wharf to make for Kowloon Bay, owing to the typhoon on Saturday at noon, the passengers

who were booked through to Manila were left behind. These passengers, the majority of them out sight-seeing, were out of the Hongkong Hotel and the General Pershing Building, the States Steamship Co. meeting the passengers at the wharf and arranging for their transport to the hotel. The passengers were very comfortable and enjoyed their stay in Hongkong.

SURFRIDING THE POPULAR NEW LOCAL SPORT

SENATORS AGAIN DEFEATED

YANKEES GOING STRONG

SCORE THIRTEEN TIMES

New York, July 31. The New York Yankees scored again when they met their closest rivals, the Washington Senators, to-day, hitting up 13 runs to which the Senators replied with nine. Following on their victory on Sunday, this consolidates the Yankees' position as leaders of the American League.

There were no games in the National League to-day, and *Reuter* sends the two following results:

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
	R	H	E
St. Louis	12	12	1
Cleveland	8	14	1
(Clasell, Hale and Kamm homered for Cleveland).			
Washington	9	13	2
New York	13	18	0
(D. Harris twice homered for Washington).			

W. INDIES GET A SHOCK

HARD PRESSED BY DURHAM

WELL BEHIND ON FIRST INNINGS

London, July 31. The West Indies were given a shock in a two-day match with Durham, the Minor Counties team, finding themselves 106 runs in arrears on the first innings.

Durham batted especially well, only Valentino being able to make any impression in the West Indies attack. He took 5 for 73, but it could not prevent the "Minors" from compiling 256.

The visitors went about their task of beating this in a very unconfident manner, and thanks chiefly to some smart bowling on the part of Woodhouse, who captured 5 for 73, were sent back for 140.

The West Indies followed on and at the close had scored 29 for the loss of three wickets. This was probably their most unimpressive display since the start of the tour.

Races With A Broken Arm

1,300 MILES EVENT INCIDENT

Berlin, July 23. The most difficult section of the 1,300 miles race around Germany, which began at daybreak yesterday at Baden-Baden, has now begun, namely, night travel. The organization of the race and discipline among the nearly 500 participants in the race so far has proved faultless. The race was especially difficult after passing Brunswick Forest owing to the narrowness and steepness of the track, while in other sections, the progress was considerably hampered by the morning fog. The vanguard thus reached Cologne half an hour later than was expected.

DEVOTION TO DUTY. One heroic example of devotion to duty was given by one of the competitors, Herr Dittmar of Hof on the Saale, belonging to the storm-detachment motorcycle section, riding an Imperia machine. Herr Dittmar had a bad fall near Elsterwerda, and broke his right arm. However, he took only enough time to have his arm put into splints and continued on to Berlin, a distance of 86 miles, where he was compelled by the stewards to go into hospital. This incident is regarded as characteristic of the sporting spirit prevailing among the "Brown Shirts," whose proud tradition is faithfulness to duty to the last degree.

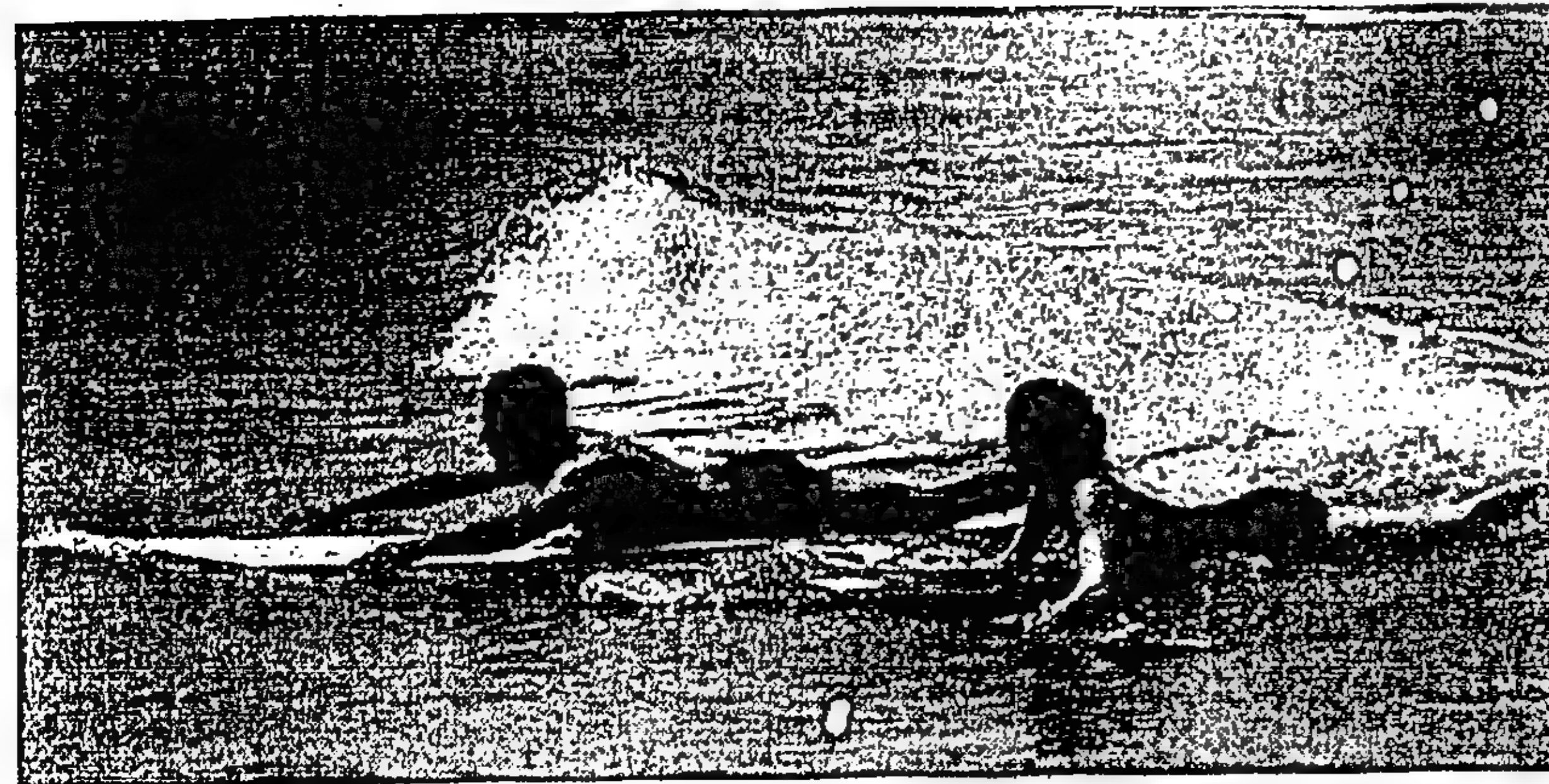
Allegations, and more had passed Mannheim at a o'clock this afternoon. One of the chief objects of this race is to test the endurance of the various makes of cars in order to obtain more information to the effect of motor racing all over Germany, which was just started in 1928. The anti-unemployment movement.

REGATTA TO BE HELD AT REPULSE BAY THIS MONTH

(BY "SURFER")

THIS IS THE WAY TO DO IT.

A striking picture of two surfboard paddlers riding the waves. The lady is Miss Beatrice Newport, Ladies 100 and 400 yards world's champion surfboard paddler and holder of the 100 yards Havana Swimming Championship. The gentleman is Mr. William Butts of Hongkong, who is the leading light among local surfboard enthusiasts. Incidentally this is an illustration of the correct position for paddling, referred to in the article below.



HONGKONG has a new sport!

SURFRIDING and surfboard paddling, now figuring among the principal sports of America and Australia and world famed for its development in the place of its birth, Hawaii, has invaded Hongkong and this summer is seeing dozens of young enthusiasts under the leadership of one or two experts, indulging in the fascinating pastime at Repulse Bay. SO rapid has been the spread of its popularity in Hongkong that already preparations are in hand to stage a regatta towards the end of this month. It will be held at Repulse Bay on August 19 or 20, and entries so far exceed a dozen.

Surfboard riding and paddling races were held by the Hawaiians long before the white man ventured to his shores. As far back as the history of this picturesque race of people can be traced, the king's birthday fiesta was always the day that the new Surfboard Championship was decided.

During the last twenty years this sport has slowly spread throughout distant parts of the world. It seems that wherever the introduction took place, once tried, it stayed and perpetuated itself. To-day one finds it nationally recognised and sponsored along with swimming, by the Amateur Athletic Union in America. They have the Pacific and Atlantic Coast Championships, which of course led to the National Championships held in September, every year.

INVASION OF HONGKONG.

One may travel down to Singapore now and find Katong Beach decorated with surfboards painted every colour of the rainbow.

Manila's Polo Club, situated out at Paranaque Beach houses a fleet of privately owned surfboards. Nothing need be said of how the Australians have taken to the sport, for it is almost as popular there as it is in America.



This picture shows a few of the varied type of craft used for surfing and surfboard paddling. Reference to them will be found in the article.

Now that the sport has invaded the shores of Hongkong, a brief explanation of surfriding and surfboard paddling may be of interest.

Originally the surfboard was used only to ride on the waves but as the shape and design changed to improve efficiency while riding, so also did the speed of the board increase while just being paddled on the smooth surface of the water. This evidently opened the field for two kinds of races. The original to see who could catch the largest wave and ride it shoreward the greatest distance, and the other to establish the fastest speed over a certain distance, this without the help of a wave or anything except the hands and arms of the rider or rather, in this case the paddler.

In establishing two kinds of races, two entirely different types of surfboards were introduced. One the short wide riding model, and the other the long cigar shaped racer. To-day both are used only to ride on the waves but as the shape and design changed to improve efficiency while riding, so also did the speed of the board increase while just being paddled on the smooth surface of the water. This evidently opened the field for two kinds of races. The original to see who could catch the largest wave and ride it shoreward the greatest distance, and the other to establish the fastest speed over a certain distance, this without the help of a wave or anything except the hands and arms of the rider or rather, in this case the paddler.

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YORKSHIRE CRICKET IN THE OLDEN DAYS

By "HISTORICUS"

MATCHES WITH LANCASHIRE

THE "WHITE ROSE" IN THE ASCENDANT.

The first match between Lancashire and Yorkshire had as its venue the Hyde Park Ground at Sheffield, and took place on the 23rd, 24th and 25th July, 1849.—Yorkshire with scores of 109 and 117 for 5 wickets as against Lancashire's 173 and 112, obtaining the victory.

The return match was played at Manchester on the 2nd and 3rd August, 1849, and ended in a second Yorkshire victory by an innings and 18 runs—the scores being Yorkshire 166 and Lancashire 87 and 91.

In 1851, these two counties met again—Lancashire importing Julius Caesar of the Surrey XI (not the author of *De Bello Gallico*), William Caffyn, (also of Surrey), Tom Adams (of the Kent XI) and Vincent Tinley of Notts. The match was played on the Hyde Park Ground at Sheffield on 28th and 29th July, 1851.

Yorkshire winning by six wickets with scores of 140 and 114 for 4 wickets, to Lancashire's scores of 184 and 69.—Julius Caesar, Caffyn, Adams and Tinley contributing 42, 19, 10, and 5 respectively in Lancashire's first innings, and 2, 8, 31 and 6 respectively in their second innings.

In a footnote to the scores in this match, Frank Lillywhite in his "Cricket Scores and Biographies" remarks "It is a pity Yorkshire did not play more matches as a county, as about this time they had a very fine 'XI'."

The return match took place at Manchester on August 21 and 22, 1851.—Lancashire on this occasion having the assistance of Julius Caesar, Sherman (of Surrey), and R.C. Tinley of Notts.—and Yorkshire again proved victorious, this time by 5 wickets—the Yorkshire scores being 155 and 44 for 5 wickets as against Lancashire's 71 and 125.—Julius Caesar making 5 and 14, R.C. Tinley, 2 and 10 and Sherman 1 and 0.

The two counties did not indulge in another encounter until 1867, when three matches between them were played, namely (1) at Whalley, Lancashire, (2) at Old Trafford, Manchester and (3) at Middlesbrough, Yorkshire. The first of these matches was won by Yorkshire with a score of 188 to Lancashire's 57 and 76.

George Freeman (the celebrated Yorkshire fast bowler) capturing 12 Lancashire wickets for 51 runs and Luke Greenwood 7 for 76—the pair bowling unchanged throughout the match. The second match also resulted in a win for Yorkshire who made 149 and 273 as against Lancashire's 158 and 94, while in the third match, Yorkshire proved victorious by an innings and 40 runs with a score of 205 to 97 and 68—George Freeman and Tom Emmett taking 9 wickets for 71 and 10 for 67 respectively.

Then came the astounding 1868 match, played on the Old Holbeck Recreation Ground at Leeds, wherein George Freeman and Tom Emmett, bowling unchanged throughout the match, dismissed Lancashire for 30 and 34 as against their own side's total of 260 for one innings—Freeman capturing 12 wickets for 23 runs (three with successive balls) and Emmett 8 for 24.

As a matter of interest, I am setting out the scores in this match.

LANCASHIRE.

First Innings.

J. Ricketts, b Freeman	5
D. Rowland, b Freeman	0
C. Coward, b Freeman	10
E. B. Rowley, Esq., b Emmett	1
R. Leach, Esq., b Emmett	0
W. Hickton, c Walker, b Emmett	6
W. Burrows, b Freeman	1
F. Coward, b Freeman	0
E. Storer, l.b.w. b Freeman	0
E. Whitaker, Esq., b Emmett	0
F. Reynolds, c Iddison, b Emmett	0
Byes 6, leg byes 2, wides 0	8
Total	30

LANCASHIRE.

Second Innings.

J. Ricketts, b Freeman	13
D. Rowland, b Freeman	0
C. Coward, b Freeman	3
E. B. Rowley, Esq., b Emmett	0
R. Leach, Esq., b Emmett	0
W. Hickton, c Emmett	0
W. Burrows, b Freeman	0
F. Coward, b Freeman	0
E. Storer, b Emmett	0
E. Whitaker, Esq., b Emmett	2
F. Reynolds, c Iddison, b Emmett	0
Byes 1, l.b.w. 0, n.b. 1	0
Total	34

YORKSHIRE.

First Innings.

G. Savile, Esq., c Storer, b Hickton	66
C. Freeman, b Storer	18
E. Stephenson, b Hickton	10
R. Iddison, c F. Coward, b Hickton	57
Ashley Walker, Esq., c F. Coward, b Hickton	1
T. Emmett, c F. Coward, b Hickton	14
John Thewlis, b Hickton	7
G. Atkinson, c Hickton, b Reynolds	24
J. West, b Reynolds	7
E. B. Rawlinson, c Ricketts, b Storer	24
A. F. Smith, Esq., not out	14
Bye 1, leg byes 8, wides 1	10
Total	200

According to Rev. R. S. Holmes, Freeman told him a capital story about this match as follows:—"Freeman" was in our Commercial Hotel (at Thirsk, Yorkshire, in

"Inter life he conducted the business of an auctioneer there)—one day when a stranger came in. Cricket was soon introduced. He was from Lancashire, and had but a mean opinion of Yorkshire's chances against his county. After he had exhausted his stock of eloquence, I chimed in, remarking that there was a time when Yorkshiremen thought nothing of their neighbour's skill at cricket; indeed, I could remember a match in which Lancashire were twice dismissed for less than 60 each time. I could not give the date and scores, but was confident of the fact. He pooh-poohed it; said it was impossible and went so far as to wagger a sovereign about it. I accepted the bet and started home for 'Scores and Biographies.' When I had gone, somebody told him who I was, and that I had played in the match. 'Then,' was his reply, 'I may as well stump up at once' which he did most honourably leaving the money at the bar. I never saw him again."

BOWLS TOURNEY

Former Champions in Great Game

WIN FOR LUZ

Brilliant bowling was witnessed on the Kowloon Cricket Club green yesterday afternoon, when R. F. Luz, of the Recreio and Colony champion in 1929, defeated Fred Cullen, of the Kowloon Dock of R. C. and holder of the Colony title in 1925, by 21 shots to 19, in the Lawn Bowls Open Championship competition. So even was the play, that the game was extended to the 26th end before Luz gained victory with a beautiful drive.

The green was a bit on the tricky side. Commencing on the head with a third, Cullen maintained a steady lead and at the 23rd end led by 17 shots to 16. Then Luz gained a four and this in no small measure paved the way to victory.

On the Kowloon B.C.C. green, A. E. Contos defeated J. J. Basto by 21 shots to 16, on the 21st end. Basto towards the end made a great effort to recover.

On the Craigengower C.C. green, W. V. Field won and defeated J. F. Lunny, of the Electric R.C., by 21 shots to 15 in a fairly evenly contested game. From the 17th to the 20th end, Field gained five shots for victory.

E. G. Post beat R. Bass 21 to 8 on the Kowloon C.C. green.

J. Cavanagh, who was to have met E. M. Remedios yesterday, had been given a walk over by the Portuguese competitor.

REJECTS V. VETERANS.

The return match between the Club de Recreio Veterans and the Craigengower Rejects took place on the Craigengower green on Saturday, and resulted in a win for the Rejects by seven shots. Scores:

Craigengower Rejects	Recreio Veterans
Cordello	Sousa
Johnstone	Ribeiro
Atienza	Machado
	24 Julio Ribeiro 17

In the second match between the Chinese Civil Servant Club and Chung-Sing the former won, 2-1.

WATER POLO

European Y.M.C.A. Win Easily

In the water polo league matches played yesterday afternoon at the Chung Sing Bathing Club in West Point, the European Y.M.C.A. beat the Chinese Bathing Club in a smashing victory, the score being 9-0.

In the second match between the Chinese Civil Servant Club and Chung-Sing the former won, 2-1.

BODY-LINE DEBATE.

Cricket Conference Avoids Topic.

London, July 31. In a meeting at Lord's to-day of the Imperial Cricket Conference, lasting an hour, it was learned that the question of "body-line" bowling was not discussed. The Marleybone Cricket Club in a cable to Australia stated that the views of the county captains were being sought, and consequently the Conference decided to avoid the bowling topic.

The result of the meeting will be made known later.—*Reuter*.

ANOTHER HEAVY DEFEAT FOR K.C.C.

BALANCED CRICKET CLUB SIDE WINS EASILY

ONLY FINCHERS WIN SETS

HAZELL BACK ON COURTS

The Hongkong Cricket Club made mince-meat out of the K.C.C. in an "A" Division league tennis match on the club ground yesterday, the home team winning by 6½ sets to 2½.

Only the Fincher brothers offered any serious opposition. They won two sets, but lost to Goldman and Sullivan.

Clout and Hyde again failed badly losing all three sets, whereas Hamby and Rodgers, who have found a permanent place in the team, succeeded in clearing a net with Hazell and Wright.

I.R.C. SURPRISED

Loss To Kowloon Docks

The Indian Recreation Club "C" Division team were surprised yesterday when they lost to the Kowloon Docks, newcomers to the league, by the odd set in nine. The I.R.C. were not at full strength. Scores:

A. A. Rumjahn and M. de Arcelli (I.R.C.) lost to Millard and Tillery, 5-7; beat Sturgeon and White, 6-4; beat Hast and Duncan, 6-1.

M. R. Abbas and Y. de Arcelli (I.R.C.) lost to Millard and Tillery, 3-6; beat Sturgeon and White, 7-5; lost to Hast and Duncan, 1-6.

S. A. R. Bux and M. Hassan (I.R.C.) lost to Millard and Tillery, 3-6; beat Sturgeon and White, 6-0; lost to Hast and Duncan, 2-6.

"C" DIVISION.

Recreio	7	4	0	1	21½	14
I.R.C.	7	4	0	3	23½	24
F.O.	7	4	0	4	43½	23½
K.O.	7	3	1	3	21½	41½
I.R.C.	6	3	0	3	27	37
P.R.O.	6	3	0	3	17½	38
D.K.	7	1	2	4	23	40
K.I.T.O.	6	1	1	0	23	30
C.B.A.	7	1	0	3	9½	43
Nongkhan, C. O.	6	0	1	4	14½	30½

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The majority of all up to date surfboards are hollowed out to increase the buoyancy in the water, and decrease the unnecessary weight both in and out of the water. There is a board for every purpose. Single and Tandem (2 on 1) riding boards, the only difference being the added surface for displacement on the Tandem board. Then there is the long narrow rider for the large rolling type of wave. It is on this type that riders at Waikiki have enjoyed rides from two to three miles long. And for the chap who wishes to place in any of the races held to-day, there is the long slim racer type.

CINEMA "SHOTS" AND "SEQUENCES"

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in a part that demanded real acting ability. In *The Little Damsel* she has both, and emerges with flying colours.

SHE gives a sensitive and versatile performance of such genuine delight that I look to her moving still higher when she comes to play the part of the heroine in *Bitter Sweet*. I am all the happier to be able to recognise the progress of Anna Neagle since she is the most unspoiled of talking picture players. I have never once heard her refer to what many lesser players describe with unconscious humour as "my public." She is serious minded, she is working very hard at the job of becoming a film star, and she is her own severest critic. In *The Little Damsel* she presents a richly varied character which will make a direct appeal to all film-goers, including those who may think this highly polished production lessurely in treatment and tenuous in plot.

The Little Damsel was designed by Herbert Wilcox to build a British film star, and he has brilliantly succeeded. Since the building of British film stars is the chief need of the British film industry, *The Little Damsel* must be greatly commended, apart from the human problem it presents with most excellent photographic quality in settings of the highest artistic conception. It has faults of treatment and direction—some scenes are too long and the camera angles are at times hysterical—but these faults need not trouble us unduly since *The Little Damsel* has the compensation of being a completely successful exercise in star building.

COTTON, WHEAT AND SILVER

LATEST NEW YORK QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Frits have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat and silver exchange for yesterday.

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	Opening	Closing	Range
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December	10.72-10.67	10.34-10.35	
January	10.80-10.80	10.41-10.41	
March	10.80-10.85	10.60-10.67	
May	10.90-10.99	10.77-10.77	
July	11.16-11.17	10.94-10.94	
Spot		10.00	
Wheat			
	Chicago	Winnipeg	
July	89%	70	
September	92%	80	
October		81%	
December	95%		
Silver			
September		80.10	
December		87.08	
March		87.80	
Total sales for the day: 7,800,000 ozs.			

CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

America passes the crisis and takes the road back in one of the most stirring pictures of the year, *"Song of the Eagle,"* which is at the Queen's Theatre. It is a majestic presentation of two of the most thrilling decades in American life, from 1913-1933, and, in honest manner pictures the nation's courageous fight to regain its pride and freedom.

Here is a vast sweeping panorama as background for the tale of one family's intrepid stand against the forces of evil and corruption. Such excellent players as Charles Bickford, Richard Arlen, Mary Brian, Jean Harsholt, Louise Dresser, Andy Devine and George E. Stone are in the featured cast.

It is the story of America's shame—and of its pride, of its panic, and its rise to new heights during the New Deal. Through the startled eyes of Otto Hoffman and his family, makers of the famous Hoffman's Amber Brew, you see twenty tempestuous years pass by.

The picture's climax is a daring prophecy of what the United States may be called upon to face in the next few months when the lawless element find themselves deprived of their lucrative beer racket.

Charles Bickford is superb as the strong-willed, uncontrollable Nels Anderson who bends American business to his will with his murderous, strong-arm methods. Jean Harsholt, in the role of Otto Hoffman, gives a sympathetic performance.

"Wild Girl"

In a recent survey of 10,000 letters written to Charles Farrell by his "fans" in all parts of the world, the question asked more than any other was: "How did you happen to get your big 'break'?"

It happened to Farrell in the most casual manner imaginable. One day in the winter of 1925 he was standing at the curb in front of the Fox Film studio in Hollywood, himself a "Free lance" with no job in sight.

Madge Bellamy, then the greatest of all Fox Film stars from the box office angle, was preparing for her picture, *"Sandy."* The cast was not set but the ever-impetuous "New York office" was wiring for preliminary stills on the principals. Robert M. Yost, then director of publicity, was pacing the floor of his office, bent upon a way out of the problem to satisfy the eastern staff. He paused momentarily also looking out toward the west, and through the window he saw young Farrell balancing himself on the curb. The boy had recently done a bit in a Fox picture called *"Wings of Youth"* and Yost knew him by sight.

Yost opened the window and called: "Young man, how would you like to stand in as a substitute in a still picture with Madge Bellamy? It will be a great accommodation to the publicity department, and you never can tell, it may mean something good for you."

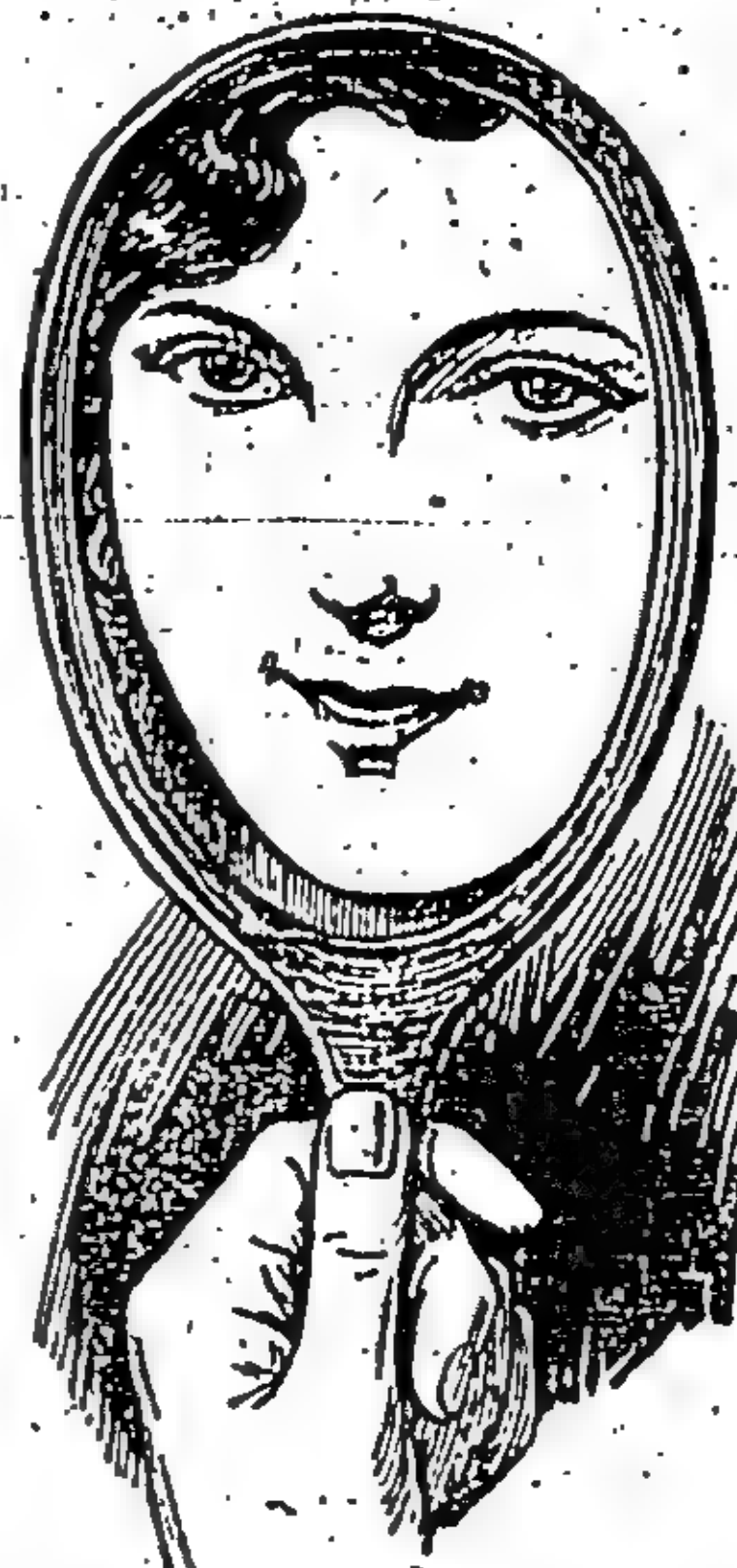
The "still" turned out to be a "natural." Young Farrell seemed to fit in so harmoniously with the others that Yost showed the print to James Ryan, casting director, and Charlie Weiss was signed to play the part for which he "stood in."

Charles Farrell's latest screen delineation will soon be at the King's Theatre on Thursday in *"Wild Girl,"* a Fox Film production in which Joan Bennett plays the feminine lead. Ralph Bellamy, Irving Pichel, Minna Gombell and Eugene Pallette are other principals in the big cast.

"The Little Damsel"
"The Little Damsel" is based on the famous play by Monckton Hoffe, which was presented successfully in London and New York, and given a command performance before the late King Edward and Queen Alexandra at Sandringham.

It introduces Anna Neagle in her second starring part—her first was with Henry Edwards in *"The Flag Lieutenant."* The part calls for the expression of an extraordinary dual personality. One, the sweet and sympathetic Anna Neagle, already familiar on the screen; the other, a light-hearted wise-cracking, hard-boiled night-club singer and dancer.

"The Little Damsel" will open at the Central Theatre to-morrow and supporting Miss Neagle are James Rennie, Enita Hume, Athole Stewart,



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"The Woman Accused"
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Nancy Carroll, Mary Grant and John Halliday play the leading roles in the story which recently appeared serially in Liberty Magazine. It was written for the magazine and for the movies simultaneously.

Action of the film centres around Miss Carroll, who faces a murder charge on her wedding day, as the result of an encounter with a former lover, demanding that she return to him, threatened the life of Grant, her fiancée, and Nancy, to save him, had committed the murder. On her wedding day she flees aboard a steamer making a "cruise to nowhere." Grant with her, Halliday, a friend of the slain man, follows, and attempts to secure evidence incriminating her. But, Grant, in a dramatic climax, frees her of all guilt.

"Love on Wheels"
Mr. Gordon Selfridge, proprietor of the famous Oxford Street store, co-operated with Galtonburg pictures in loaning them the whole store for several Sundays to obtain the authentic scenes they required for *"Love on Wheels."* The shots of busy life in a huge store are most interesting, and when Jack Hulbert, star of the film, commences to sing and dance in the perfume department and carries on through the haberdashery and ladies' outfitters, the incongruity of the surroundings adds considerably to the fun.

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THE CELEBRATED NEWTON V HARDY CASE

ALLEGED ENTICING AWAY OF BAND LEADER

IMPORTANT ISSUE SETTLED

An exceedingly important legal issue was involved in a recent case in the High Court of Justice, London, when Mrs. Florence Austin Newton, wife of Mr. Cyril Austin Newton, a prominent dance band leader, claimed from Mrs. Florence Hardy and her husband, damages for the alleged enticing away by Mrs. Hardy of plaintiff's husband.

The claim failed. Mr. Justice Swift holding that the case had not been proved.

The proceedings excited considerable interest in legal circles, and last week, it will be remembered, the *Telegraph* published a special article on the subject by Mr. Justice Fellows.

Starting from to-day, extracts from the proceedings will appear in these columns.

Mr. Newton alleged that from the time of her marriage to Mr. Newton in 1917, they lived happily together in the United States and in the United Kingdom until, during the months of August, September, and October, 1932, Mrs. Hardy, wrongfully, and with knowledge that Mr. Newton was the plaintiff's husband, enticed him to leave the plaintiff and alienated his affections from her.

The plaintiff alleged that she was the plaintiff's husband, enticed him to leave the plaintiff and alienated his affections from her.

Mr. Newton also alleged that in August, 1932, Mrs. Hardy, who was the plaintiff's husband, enticed him to leave the plaintiff and alienated his affections from her.

Mrs. Newton complained that as a result of Mrs. Hardy's alleged enticement her husband had left her, that their married happiness had been ruined, and that the plaintiff had lost the financial support of her husband.

The defence was a complete denial of all the allegations against Mrs. Hardy. Mrs. Hardy admitted that Mr. Newton in fact left the plaintiff, but said that the allowance made by him to his wife was £8 a week till March 10, 1933, when it was reduced to £5 owing to a diminution in his earnings, and that the plaintiff thereupon began these proceedings.

Mr. Doughty, K. C., and Mr. F. W. Beney appeared for the plaintiff; Mr. H. I. P. Hallett was for the defendants.

PLAINTIFF'S CASE. Mr. Doughty, in opening the plaintiff's case, said that Mrs. Newton was an American by birth, and married Mr. Newton, an Englishman, in 1917 in New York, where he was performing. There were three children of the marriage. Mr. Newton was a very well-known dance-band conductor, and after a time his engagements took him to Newcastle, where they had a house.

In the summer of 1932 Mr. Newton was engaged to conduct the band at the Spa at Scarborough. The boys were at school in Newcastle, so the Newtons could not move to Scarborough altogether, but they took a flat there for the month of August. There they met Mrs. Hardy, the wife of a retired solicitor, of Cloughton Hall, Cloughton, near Scarborough. They had then let the Hall and were living in a smaller house called Glenfion, also at Cloughton. They became on very friendly and intimate terms, so much so that Mrs. Hardy confided to Mrs. Newton the fact that there were differences between herself and her husband, and that she considered herself free to accept the attentions of any suitable man, and that she could get any man she set out to get.

Mrs. Hardy was constantly visiting the Newtons, flat about the time when Mr. Newton might be expected to return after the afternoon band performance, and it was noticed, said counsel, that her manner became more animated and cheerful when Mr. Newton came in. She always attended the band performance and found herself free to talk to Mr. Newton in the intervals.

On one occasion, at the Spa at Scarborough, a girl, whom Mr. and Mrs. Newton knew quite well, came and spoke to Mrs. Newton. Mr. Newton then noticed that Mrs. Hardy displayed unusual and obvious signs of jealousy at Mr. Newton's talking to a

younger girl. That aroused some suspicion, and Mrs. Newton taxed Mrs. Hardy with running after her husband, but Mrs. Hardy denied it absolutely.

Mrs. Newton became so unhappy that she returned to Newcastle a day before the lease of the flat expired on August 31. She tried to telephone to Cloughton on August 30, but could not get through for a very long time. Presently her husband came in, and almost at the same time the line to Cloughton became disconnected.

Almost immediately after Mrs. Newton's departure, Mr. Newton took up his residence with the Hardys. He did not tell his wife, nor did they, and until she received an anonymous communication she had no idea that her husband was not staying in an hotel. There was no pressing reason why Mrs. Newton should return to Newcastle, but the Hardys' invitation was not extended to her.

VISIT TO LONDON. On September 18 Mr. Newton and Mrs. Hardy came to London together. Mr. Newton said counsel, there were excuses for that visit. Mr. Newton had business in London, which somehow became urgent on the same day that Mrs. Hardy was coming up to see her daughter off on a cruise.

They stayed in London a week and then returned together to Scarborough. When he arrived Mrs. Newton taxed him with being in love with Mrs. Hardy and he admitted it. About a week later he left his wife and went to live in rooms in Newcastle. She refused to divorce him, as she wanted him back.

Shortly afterwards Mrs. Hardy left her husband and went to live with Mr. Newton in Newcastle. The position then was that Mr. Newton and Mrs. Hardy were openly living together in the same town as Mrs. Newton. On her solicitors' advice Mrs. Newton came to London to save her husband's business from suffering through scandal.

The crux of this unfortunate story, Mr. Doughty said, was the conduct of Mrs. Hardy, who fortunately was a woman of property, and it was hoped that she might be made to pay. She told Mrs. Newton that she had £10,000 as a "nestegg" which she never touched.

It was strange that in law a husband should be responsible for his wife's tort in enticing another man, but that seemed to be the result of the *Place v. O'Leary* (42 The T. L. R., 428; [1932] 2 K. B., at p. 518).

Mr. Justice Swift.—It is not the position that if the defendant persuades or entices the husband she is liable, but if the husband pursues her, it is a good defence?

Mr. Doughty.—Yes; but one seldom pursues an object unless it is attractive, and if the lady deliberately makes herself attractive to invite pursuit then she is enticing him.

THE PLAINTIFF'S EVIDENCE. The plaintiff, giving evidence, said that Mr. Newton had been engaged when they returned to England from America at the Savoy Hotel with the Savoy Orpheans and Savoy Havana Band. In 1929 he obtained a winter engagement at Tilley's in Newcastle, and in 1931 and 1932 he took summer engagements at the Spa at Scarborough.

He was decidedly not a man who ran after women. He was a keen golfer and fisherman.

The summer season at Scarborough began at Whitson and her husband stayed at the Pavilion Hotel. He came home twice for the night, and was loving and affectionate as usual. For the first week in July she went and joined him at the hotel, and they were very happy. They met Mr. and Mrs. Hardy. Mrs. Hardy did her best to irritate herself, but she (the plaintiff) had no suspicion whatever that anything was wrong.

She returned to Newcastle, leaving her husband in Scarborough, where a flat was taken for the family for the month of August. When he met her on August 2, she thought from his attitude that something was wrong. He said that it was not another woman; nothing like that. They continued to see Mrs. Hardy, who made herself very agreeable. She became most confidential and told the plaintiff that the relations between herself and Mr. Hardy were very strained.

She was rather boastful about the fact that she could get any man she set out to get, and she said that her trouble was to keep the men from coming after her.

She tried to discuss the plaintiff's husband, and to find out what plaintiff's relations with him were. The plaintiff took her into her confidence, thinking she was a friend.

The witness said that her suspicions were first aroused by noticing that Mrs. Hardy always timed her visits at hours when Mr. Newton would come in.

was going to Cloughton. She herself was never asked to stay there. When she did get through on the telephone on the day she left, Mrs. Hardy told her jokingly that she was in a terrible hurry getting ready for an unexpected guest. Two days after getting back to Newcastle she received an anonymous letter and wrote to Mrs. Hardy, who again denied that anything was wrong. When her husband came home she asked him if he was in love with Mrs. Hardy. He admitted that he was. "Then," said the witness, "I absolutely saw red and picked up the first thing I saw, which happened to be a fire-iron, and would have struck Mrs. Hardy with it. But he held me and when I calmed down I fainted."

In cross-examination by Mr. Hallett, the plaintiff said that she had no complaint against Mr. Hardy other than that he allowed this thing to happen in his home.

Mr. Hallett.—Do you seriously tell his Lordship that up to August, 1932, you were leading a happy life?—Yes. Have you since October, 1932, wanted to get your husband home?—I have always wanted to get him back.

There was, the witness said, no hostility between her and her husband before September 30 (when he returned home) and October 8, when he left her. Nor did she say that he could not stand the constant quarrelling, or that it was interfering with his work. She did not say to him: "I can't bear you in the house."

Mr. Hallett.—Do you remember telling Mrs. Hardy in August 1932, that you had had some terribly unhappy years with your husband through a woman?—No.

And that if you had had enough money you would have cleared out long ago?—No.

Have you had some terribly unhappy years with your husband?—No. I have never had unhappy years with my husband.

PAIR OF COOING DOVES. It was not true, said Mrs. Newton, that in 1929 she had accused her husband of coming from America with a woman, nor that she was always bringing that up.

It was not true, as her husband had alleged in his answer to the application proceedings, that she was of a "hysterical, violent and jealous disposition and constantly nagging."

"In fact," said Mr. Hallett, "you were a pair of cooing doves." The witness denied that every time Mr. Newton was away at his work in the summer she was jealous, and that there were scenes each time he returned.

Mr. Hallett.—If there had been no jealousy, why should he say in his letters: "I am and always will be, good, dear?" When your husband is away, you always ask him if he's been behaving himself.

The witness, further cross-examined, denied that she ever said to Mrs. Hardy: "I have made a mistake in overlooking things before; this time there is going to be a settlement. You wait till Mr. Newton comes in to-night and I'll tell him where he gets off." Nor did she say to Mrs. Hardy: "Haven't you noticed the way he runs after you? It is not on your side, but I know his ways, and his attentions to you are obvious."

Before she left Scarborough, she received an anonymous letter saying: "Beware of that Bleached Blonde." She received another, apparently in the same handwriting, at Newcastle: "I turned you. How he has gone to the house."

Mr. Hallett.—Your husband and Mr. Hardy had the common interest of fishing, had they not?—I had already been told by Mrs. Hardy that her husband disliked musicians or anyone connected with the profession.

Mr. Justice Swift.—Why has no correspondence between Mrs. Hardy and Mr. Newton been disclosed?

Mr. Hallett.—There was none.

Mr. Justice Swift.—The ordinary decencies of life demand a letter to your hostess after a visit, thanking her for her hospitality. Why is not that "board and lodging" letter disclosed?

Other evidence was given by friends and former servants of Mrs. Newton to the effect that Mr. and Mrs. Newton were a very happy couple, and that Mrs. Newton was not of a nagging disposition.

LONDON STOCK PRICES

MARKET GENERALLY QUIET

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters. The market: Generally very quiet in most sections. The market closed dull.

Chinese Bonds July 28, July 31.

4½% Bonds 1938 £1004 £1004

(Eng. Iss.) £834 £83

4½% Loan 1908 £834 £83

5% Loan 1912 £50 £50

5% Reorg. Loan £854 £854

1913 (Ldn. Iss.) £854 £854

5% Bonds 1925-47 £89 £884

5% Shai-Nanking Rly. £304 £304

5% Tient-Pukow Rly. £304 £40

5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan) £17-22 £17-22

5% Shai-Nanking Rly. £83-38 £83-38

5% Hukwang Rly. £114 £12

5% Hukwang Rly. £28 £28

5% Lung Tsing U. Hai Rly. 1913 £12 £12

Foreign Bonds & Banks

German 7% Internat. Loan 1924 81 81

Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1907 £85 £85

Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924 £92 £92

Industrials & Breweries

Associated Elec. Industries 20/0 20/0

Brit-Am. Tob. 109/4 109/4

Chinese Eng. & Ship. 30/- 30/-

J. & P. Coats 59/3 59/3

Courtaulds 38/0 38/0

Distillers 79/- 79/-

Dunlop Rubber 35/3 34/74

Eveready 28/0 28/3

General Elec. 42/0 43/-

Guinness 98/6 98/3

Impl. Chem. Industries 30/- 20/0

Impl. Tobacco 106/6 100/6

Internat. T. & S. Stores 28/0 28/74

Internat. Nickel 20/- 20/0

Pinchin Johnson 33/- 33/-

Turner & Newall 32/74 32/6

Unilever 28/- 27/0

Miscellaneous

Anglo-Dutch 16/0 16/3

Burma Corp. Ra. 13/104 13/74

Canadain Pacific Rly. 18/- 17%

Gula Kalumpung Rubber 17/0 10/0

Tropen Bines 13/44 18/3

Langlaagte Estates 27/0 27/3

London City Bank 12/0 13/-

Rubber Trusts 23/0 23/-

Shai. Elec. Contrs. 55/- 55/-

Van Ryn Deep 35/- 35/-

Oils

Anglo-Persian Oil 40/74 40/74

Burmah Oil 78/0 78/0

Royal Dutch 20/- 20%

Shell Trans. & Trad. 51/3 50/-

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S MARKET EASY

According to Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was easy yesterday. Business done 3,000,000 shares. The Wall Street Journal reports:—Steady selling and lack of demand declined stocks as much as 1 to 10 points and the session was dull due to a break in grain prices on account of bearish European crop news which nullified local bullish news. The market, however, rallied slightly at the close owing to a rally in grain prices which was caused by rumours that an effort was being made to peg grain prices. Later: The break in stock prices is regarded as nominal and an anticipated secondary reaction hence longs held aloof and shorts sold. Cable Received this morning from Swan, Culbertson & Fritz, New York Stocks: The market met with good success at critical levels and it seems likely to have a fair rally from here. Wheat: Liquidation carried wheat to fixed minimums. News bullish but ignored, restrictive measures causing this action may go further. Cotton: Reported reluctance on the part of the Administration to use its inflationary powers and to await results of present measures together with apprehension increased hedge selling. There was poor demand and weakness in exchange caused prices to decline. Cable from Washington D.C. July 31, 1933. Believe prospects are good for continued business improvement into the late Fall. The Administration is pushing industry code, agricultural agreements, and public works program, holding further inflation in reserve. Security and commodity prices are likely to advance more slowly. Cable received at 10.55 p.m. during our Night Service from Swan, Culbertson & Fritz, New York. Irregular opening trend may continue to-day, but on dip stocks can be bought for trading turns. Cotton: Additional rains reported in the Western belt. Wheat: Cables firm, cooler but no rain in Canada. Minimum prices restrict buyers. Favour purchases on any further decline.

Dow-Jones averages: July 28, July 31.

30 Industrials 94.54 90.77

20 Rails 47.81 45.40

20 Utilities 81.60 79.09

40 Bonds 88.23 88.02

Alaska Juneau Mining Co. 254 224

Allied Chemical & Dye 117 115

American Can 85 824

Amer. and Foreign Power 124 11

American For. Pow. 27 244

American Metal Co. 17 164

American Smelting 334 314

American Tel. & Tel. 1234 121

American Tobacco 844 834

American Water works 294 204

Anconda Copper 164 164

Atlas Corporation 144 134

Auburn Automobile 554 524

Baltimore & Ohio 284 26

Bethlehem Steel 404 364

Borden Company 324 304

EXCHANGE RATES

	July 28.	July 31.
Paris.....	85.11/32	85.3/32
Geneva.....	17.204	17.24
Berlin.....	18.06	18.164
Helsingfors.....	2204	2204
Oslo.....	104	104
Athens.....	9874	9874
Milan.....	694	694
Buenos Aires.....	1/3.5/10	1/8.1/10
Shanghai.....	4.474	4.47
New York.....	8.27	8.25
Amsterdam.....	30	30
Vienna.....	1124	1124
Prague.....	80.15/10	80.15/10
Bucharest.....	665	665
Hongkong.....	1/4.20/32	1/4.20/32
Brussels.....	23.074	23.074
Stockholm.....	110	110
Lisbon.....	1/0.5/64	1/0.5/64
Bombay.....	1/2.13/10	1/2.13/10
Yokohama.....	34	34
Montevideo.....	4.81	4.81
Montreal.....	17.15/10	17.15/10
Silver (spot).....	18.1/10	18.1/10
Silver (forward) 18.7/10	18.1/10	18.1/10
War Loan.....	98.15/10	98.15/10
—British Wireless.		
Shell Union.....	84	74
Socony Vacuum Corporation.....	114	114
Southern California Edison.....	234	224
Standard Gas and Electric.....	144	134
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.....	354	344
Texas Corporation.....	23	21
Texas Gulf Sulphur Union Carbide and Carbon.....	204	204
United Aircraft and Trans.....	324	304
United Corporation.....	10	94
United Gas Improvement.....	204	20
U.S. Rubber.....	184	18
U.S. Steel.....	544	52
Universal Leaf Tobacco.....	43	41
Westinghouse E. & M.....	434	394
Woolworth.....	45	43

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KOWLOON COAL DUMP SCANDAL

SPECIAL COMMITTEE FORMED

PRIVATE MEETING HELD LAST NIGHT

A DEPUTATION LIKELY

The *Telegraph* was reliably informed this morning that it is not now the intention of property owners and principal tenants in the vicinity of the coal dump at Blackhead Point to petition the Governor-in-Council immediately regarding the nuisance.

The matter, we understand, was given careful consideration at a small preliminary meeting last evening, and it was the general opinion of those present that it would be inadvisable to petition the Government until it was ascertained what steps, if any, were proposed to dispose of the cause of complaint.

COMMITTEE APPOINTED.

Last night's meeting was convened by Mr. J. A. Tarrant, a resident, and after some discussion a small committee was appointed, comprising Messrs. A. S. Sykes,

COAL DUMP

This evening's meeting of those interested will be held in the Green Room, on the first floor of the Peninsula Hotel at 5.30 p.m.

representing Messrs. David and Co., who are interested in numerous properties in the "afflicted area," as chairman, R. J. Shrigley, representing Messrs. Reiss, Massey and Co., lessees for the Spanish Procurement, C. E. Terry, President of the Kowloon Residents' Association, F. H. Loseby and Dr. J. Durran, which was empowered to draft a resolution, to be submitted to a general meeting which will be held at the Peninsula Hotel this evening, condemning the coal dump as a public nuisance.

FINDING OUT.

One member of the committee informed our representative this morning that they had no knowledge yet as to what the Government's intentions were.

Instead of rushing through a petition and getting signatures, it was considered more advisable to find out exactly where they stood. Their resolution, if adopted this evening, would result in a deputation to be appointed at the meeting, interviewing the Colonial Secretary for the purpose of obtaining a definite Government statement.

If the Government had already decided to take action which met with approval, the matter as far as the residents are concerned will be dropped.

If, on the other hand, the statement was not satisfactory or information was refused, it is probable that a petition will be drafted and sent to H.E. the Governor-in-Council.

"We want to know exactly where we stand at the present time," the member concluded.

ENGLAND'S TEST TEAM

THREE CHANGES IN THE SIDE

SUTCLIFFE ASKS TO STAND DOWN

London, July 31.

The changes have been made in England's team to meet the West Indies in the Third Test match at the Oval starting on Saturday week.

R. W. V. Robins, Herbert Sutcliffe and C. G. Macaulay are out, Sutcliffe being excused on the grounds of not being quite fit and Macaulay presumably losing his place owing to his injury.

The selectors have adopted a very bold attitude in facing this position.

THE TEAM.

Bakewell, prolific Northants scorer, has been brought in for Sutcliffe; Nichols, who has been bowling exceptionally well for Essex, displaces Macaulay, and C. S. Marriott, schoolmaster and Kent county cricketer, occupies Robins's position. The team will therefore be:

D. R. Jardine (Surrey) Capt.
R. E. S. Wyatt (Warwick)
C. F. Walters (Worcester)
C. S. Marriott (Kent)
Hammond (Gloucester)
Ames (Kent)
Langridge, Jas (Sussex)
Verity (Yorkshire)
Nichols (Essex)
Clark (Northants)
Bakewell (Northants)
Townsend (Derbyshire) 12th Man.

The selectors have apparently been influenced by the constant failure of the West Indies to face confidently spin bowling.

MARRIOTT'S PECULIARITIES.

Thus C. S. Marriott, one of the cleverest slow bowlers in the country has been given his chance. Unfortunately Marriott is at the disadvantage of being unable to take part in first class cricket until late in the season when the schools break up. But already this summer he has met with marked success for Kent and with Freeman, forms a very dangerous attack. His delivery is most peculiar. He takes his run of some half a dozen paces from directly behind the umpire and thereby conceals his finger and wrist action until the very last minute. In actually delivering the ball Marriott takes his right arm right back with the hand touching the left shoulder blade. In Kent he is popularly called the "snake-charmer" owing to the exaggerated movement of his arms and shoulders whilst bowling.

BATTING STRENGTH.

Nichols has earned a place on his consistent form. His latest success was 7 for 52 against Gloucester last week, and this laid the foundation for the big Essex win. Bakewell's introduction will be generally accepted with pleasure. His batting form has been very good this year and recognition was overdue.

Once again England has a powerful batting side, and if a little weak in fast bowlers, Clark and Nichols being the only two, there is quite an array of sound change bowlers including Marriott, James Langridge, Hammond and Wyatt.—*Reuter*.

"PETRIFYING" LENIN'S BODY

AN EXTRAORDINARY REQUEST

THE HEALER OF NANTES

Paris.

An offer to preserve Lenin's body by "petrifying" it has been made to the Soviet Embassy here. M. Camille Eynard, a healer of Nantes, says he can do it by the simple process of laying his hands on it.

"I am ready to try," said M. Eynard, "but I am not sure if I shall succeed, since the body has already been embalmed and the different chemicals may react adversely. It will doubtless take several days, and I shall need the assistance of another magnetiser, so that we can work in relays."

"I believe that the whole secret of Egyptian embalming was simply magnetism."

M. Eynard was recently prosecuted by the syndicate of doctors here for the illegal practice of medicine. At the trial the healer's counsel produced two mummified cutlets. His client had, he alleged, subjected them to animal magnetism five and nine years ago respectively by means of touch.—*Reuter*.

NEW GYPSY KING

GIVES TRIBE FRESH SET OF MORALS

Vienna.

Gypsies in one district of Yugoslavia are wondering what the world is coming to, for they have a new "king," a "live wire," who is changing their immemorial habits.

His name is Misha Radu, of Beeskerek, and one of his royal pronouncements runs: "Beggings is a disgrace to the noble gypsy people, who are worthy of greater tasks."

Theft and begging have decreased markedly since his election—a fact which has pleased the local council so much that they allow Misha 15 shillings a month as "royal revenue."

Misha uses this money to send his sons to school—an example which he hopes his people will follow.

He is now in Belgrade, seeking the return of lands taken from the gypsies ten years ago because they were left uncultivated.—*Reuter*.

Pigeon Crashes Through Express Train

SMASHES WINDOW BUT UNHURT

Cape Town.

While an express train was dashing through one of the suburban stations at forty-five miles an hour a pigeon struck the observation window. The glass, which was three-sixteenths of an inch thick, was smashed completely and splinters were flung over the driver. Fortunately none of the splinters cut him.

The pigeon, however, was not hurt at all in spite of the terrific impact. It fluttered about inside the driver's compartment and was captured by the driver when the train pulled up in Cape Town. The bird is now being cared for by the drivers in their office at the railway station.—*Reuter*.

SMOKING IS NOT IMMORAL

APPEAL COURT'S JUDGMENT

Venice.

The civil court in Vicenza refused to suspend a sentence of imprisonment on a girl—on the grounds that she was a heavy smoker.

She is Maria Cecchetto, a girl of 23, and was sentenced to a fine of £13 and five months' imprisonment for stealing. As there was no previous conviction against her, she would have been released but for her obvious devotion to the "noxious weed."

The case, however, was taken to the appeal court, which has laid down that "smoking on the part of a woman does not constitute im-

Weeping and Nashing of Teeth

Amazing Affair At Bargain Hunt

Paris.

The amazing spectacle of hundreds of fashionably attired women weeping bitterly, with handkerchiefs to their eyes, completely held up traffic in a thoroughfare in Nice recently.

A new store, which had been besieged by an army of housewives anxious to obtain bargains, was thronged about teatime by a closely pressing eager mass of people when suddenly pandemonium was caused by a gas whose fumes swiftly filled the vast building with its many stories.

Cries were raised as the shoppers made a frantic dash towards the exits holding handkerchiefs and dresses to their mouths. Many of them dropped their treasured bargains in their hurried stampede towards the doors.

PRACTICAL JOKE?

A crowd collected on the pavement where the women, a number of whom were seized with terrible fits of coughing, were excitedly discussing their alarming experiences.

Order was soon restored and the busy thoroughfare resumed its normal appearance.

Mystery surrounds the cause of the contretemps though a number of people were expressing the belief that the gas had been spread by friends of some of the numerous rival stores who were jealous of the younger firm's success. What is more likely, however, is that it was the work of some practical joker.—*Reuter*.

VILLAGE MAKES RE-APPEARANCE

SUBMERGED NEARLY 40 YEARS AGO

Tellicherry.

A pleasant surprise has been caused in Tellicherry, North Malabar, at the reported reappearance of a portion of an ancient fishing village on the coast, which was submerged about the year 1895.

It appears that when the monsoon burst, the sea between the two rocks Neeloth point and Ballikallo was strikingly calm on account of its muddy bottom while it was boisterous outside that area. Gradually an extensive stretch of sand emerged opposite to the Ballikallo rock, connecting the shore with Chappakkallu, another ancient rock.

Chappakkallu, until it was separated from the shore by the sea, formed the centre of a fishing village and there stood a temple at one end of the village. The temple was destroyed with the village by the encroachment of the sea.

The re-formation of the land has excited considerable curiosity and many people are visiting the site daily.—*Reuter*.

7 YEARS HIKE

HUSBAND AND WIFE TOUR AUSTRALIA

Sydney.

Frederick Long has just finished walking round Australia with his wife, Mary.

Their "hike" began from the General Post Office at Sydney in 1926, and they have been walking off and on, ever since.

They paid their way round the Commonwealth by giving rodeo exhibitions, both are experienced riders, and hold between them 287 ribbons, including 97 championships.

Mr. Long is recording his travels in a book, which will not be completed, so he says, until they have walked another 1,000 miles.—*Reuter*.

GERMAN THREAT

ALLEGED DUMPING BY BRITAIN

Berlin, July 31.

Import duties on cotton yarns into Germany have been approximately doubled as from August 1.

This decision follows a protest submitted to the Government by a meeting of German cotton spinners. A resolution was passed at the meeting drawing attention to the dumping of British cotton yarns.

The German cotton spinners contend that the alleged dumping of British yarns on the German market deprives more than 20,000 workers of employment.

GREAT EVENT MARKED

ANTI-MUTSAI SOCIETY DINNER PARTY

The Anti-Muttsai Society of Hongkong celebrated the centenary of the legal abolition of slavery within the British Empire with a dinner party attended by some 220 people at the roof garden of the Sincere Company last night.

The Society also combined the occasion with celebrating its eleventh anniversary, and presentations were made to Messrs. S. C. Yeung, J. D. Bush and C. G. Anderson.

A note of progress was struck by the speakers, who were unanimously of the opinion that the Society could congratulate itself on the efforts of its earlier members and the manner in which the present body was carrying on the work.

Among those present were Mr. Wong Shum-kan, chairman, who presided, Mr. T. Moffatt, vice-chairman, the Rev. H. R. Wells, one of the first missionaries to take an active interest in the Anti-muttsai movement, Mr. J. D. Bush, Hon. English Secretary, the Rev. J. R. Saunders, Superintendent of the Pu Kong Orphanage, Mr. C. G. Anderson, the Rev. Li Kau-yun, Mr. J. E. R. McPherson, the Rev. N. V. Halward, Messrs. S. C. Yeung, J. M. Wong, Wat Lok-ning, Mrs. Ma Hong-fan, Dr. Ma Lok, Mr. Mack Mui-sang, whose history of the Anti-muttsai movement is in course of preparation, Mr. Wong Kam-ying, one of the earliest members of the committee, Dr. H. Y. Tsao, the Rev. S. F. Tso, who kindly acted as interpreter, and others.

The chairman warmly welcomed the guests and said he was glad to notice that there was no lack of interest in the society. After introducing the speakers he called on Mr. Bush to address the company.

Addressing the gathering Mr. J. D. Bush said:

The dinner and programme of this evening constitute a double calendar day for us. We are here to exchange congratulations on the centenary of the abolition of slavery within the British Empire and on the eleventh anniversary of the Anti-Muttsai Society of Hongkong.

As Christians, we cannot rest until the terribly tragic side of the crime of slavery is completely eradicated. Happily, the policy of Great Britain, and all these sovereign states now associated with her in the work of emancipation of the slaves, is to do every thing possible to check the slave trade in all corners of the earth.

The objective should be a three-fold one: First, the creation of an international conscience prepared to accept the view that slavery in all its forms is a crime against the human race; secondly to secure an acceptance of the obligation by all nations to bring about as quickly as possible the total abolition of slavery throughout the world; and thirdly, the creation of some international machine, either a permanent committee or bureau, sufficiently competent to deal with reports from different countries and to present to the Council of the League of Nations each year recommendations for assisting in the work of complete eradication of the slave trade and slavery wherever found.

Evil in the world results from bad education and bad institution. First, then, produce the new outlook, and the better man and better world will follow. The liberty-loving Anglo-Saxon race has such a word as fair play, and can pride itself on fairness in sports as well as in law, with results which have set all other nations envious!

THORNG ATTENDS SHANGHAI DRAW

FIRST PRIZE OF HALF MILLION

Shanghai, July 31.

The first prize of \$500,000 in the first State Lottery of China falls to the holder of ticket number 299287, which was sold through the Shanghai Commercial Savings Bank. The name of the winner has not been divulged.

In the presence of an enormous throng at the Candrome, noted sports auditorium the drawing of the prizes in the lottery commenced early this afternoon. Results were still coming in up to a late hour.

Originally, the first prize ticket was drawn at 22622, at 1.50 o'clock this afternoon, just seventeen minutes after the opening of proceedings. It was found, however, that this was an unsold ticket.

The Ministry of Finance, having been notified at once, instructed officials to replace the prize money, amounting to \$500,000, to be awarded as a special prize. The draw for the fortune took place late in the afternoon.

The two second prizes were drawn by numbers 293807 and 109014; four third prizes were drawn by numbers 293273, 241121, 148009, 331224.

The drawing finished at 8.15 o'clock, with more than 10,000 excited people still attending.

TRIBESMEN FIRE ON R.A.F.

BOMBERS READY TO ATTACK

Officers of the Royal Air Force were fired upon by Bajauri tribesmen on the north-west Indian frontier, yesterday when they flew over the disaffected area and dropped warnings to the effect that, unless the British ultimatum were respected, the villages of the tribe would be bombed at dawn to-day.

Indian troops, supported by mountain batteries, have arrived at Dand to assist the Halimzai tribe which is threatened with attack from Afghanistan.

Planes Draw Fire.

Fusillades of rifle fire were directed against the British aeroplanes which dropped warning notices at Khar, the headquarters of the Bajauri chief, informing him that his villages would be bombed at dawn to-morrow if the ultimatum for the surrender of dangerous agitators is not complied with.

In the meantime a column of Indian Army troops, supported by mountain gun batteries, has proceeded to Dand where they will assist the friendly Halimzai tribe, which is threatened with attack from the turbulent Upper Mohmands, across the Afghan frontier.

CHINA'S PROTEST.

OBJECTION TO CAMP BORDON INCIDENT

London, July 31.

The Chinese Legation has lodged a written protest against an incident during the military exercises at Bordon Camp in which the word "Chinese" was allegedly used in a bucclesque sense.

Part of the brigade operation, which was not a public spectacle, was the routing of so-called "Chinese bandits," commanded by "General Yoyo" and "General Rum-foo."

The Legation observes that the Bordon incident was followed by a verbal protest against the inclusion of a Chinese pirate junk in the Portsmouth naval display. The Admiralty then deleted the word "Chinese."

It is learned that assurances have been given that the word "Chinese" will be ignored in future service events.—*Reuter*.

BANISHEE GAOLED.

FOUR MONTHS FOR CHINESE WITH MANY ALIASES

For a breach of the Deportation Ordinance, Tang Cha, a Chinese, was sentenced to four months' hard labour by Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Police Court yesterday afternoon. Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General, appeared for the Crown.

Defendant was previously discharged on July 27, but on Friday Mr. Fraser made application in Court for his Worship to reconsider his decision. Mr. Fraser contended the order was valid.

Yesterday, Mr. A. W. G. H. Grantham, Assistant Colonial Secretary and Deputy Clerk of Councils, deposed to the papers relating to the deportation of one Chan Hop, alias Tseng Hop, in May 1930. That man was the defendant, who now had another alias, Tang Cha. He was banished on May 20, under an order by the Governor-in-Council dated May 15, 1930. The long procedure was adopted.

Magistrate.—The reason why I wanted further particulars in this case was not because of any general necessity but that particular circumstances of this particular case raised, in my mind, just sufficient doubt which I must have cleared up.

Inspector E. A. Vincent, officer-in-charge of criminal records, deposed to the finger prints of the defendant.

Mr. Wynne-Jones remarked he was satisfied the man was properly banished, and convicted him for a breach of the order.

Defendant pleaded he came here to go to Swatow, and had recently received a letter stating he was to become a father soon. He wanted to send his wife money.

Mr. Fraser.—That can quite easily be arranged by the prison authorities.

Replying to the Bench, Mr. Fraser said defendant had no criminal record in the Colony. He bore a bad character elsewhere. He was deported on the ground that he was an undesirable subject.

Mr. Fraser.—We are not asking for severity in this case. It is just a question of the validity of the order, and the principle.

word "Chinese." It is learned that assurances have been given that the word "Chinese" will be ignored in future service events.—*Reuter*.

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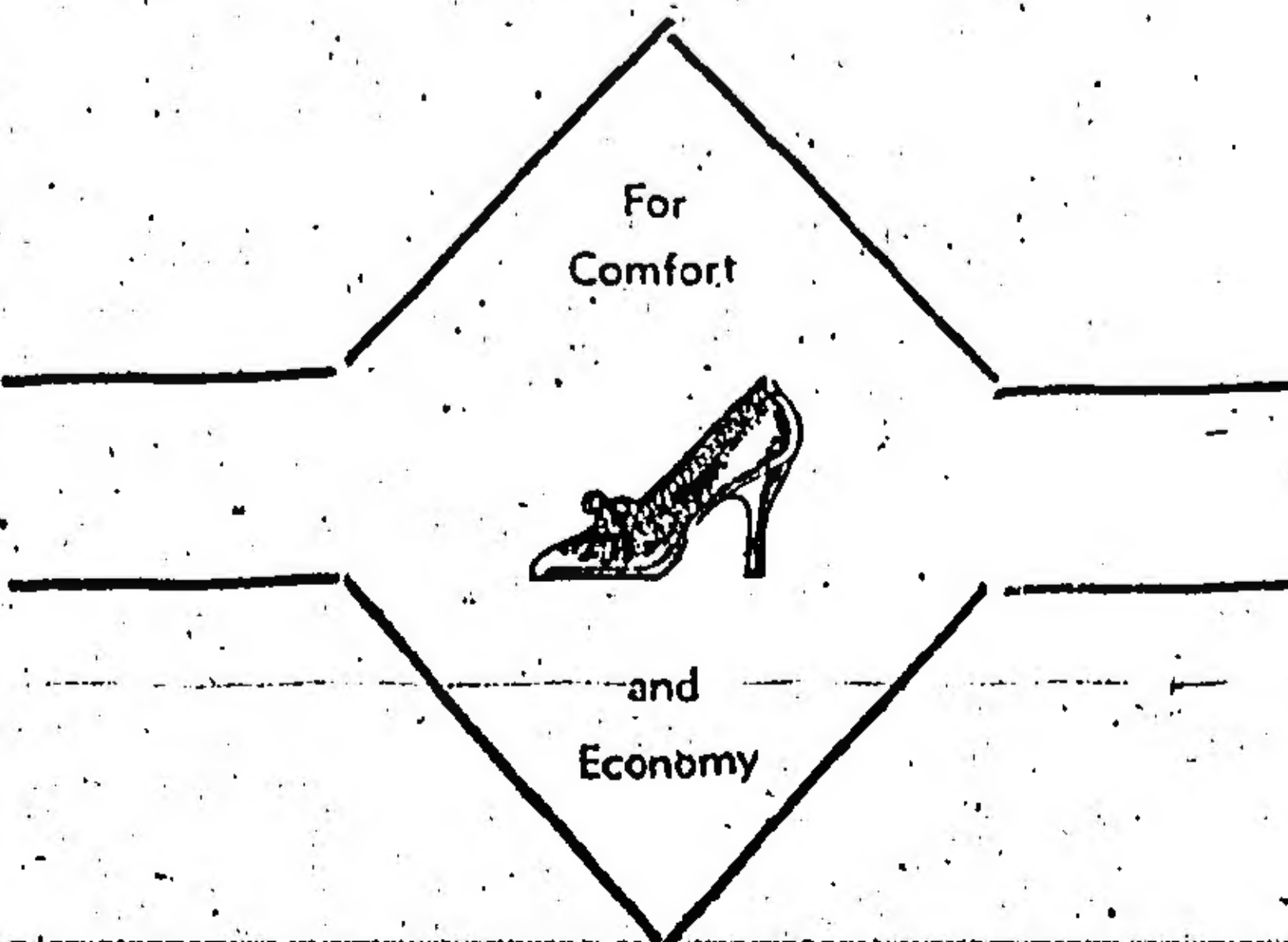
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side, it struck a public ricksha,
smashing it to pieces and pinning
the coolie to the road.

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and the ricksha coolie were rush-
ed to the Government Civil
Hospital where they were detain-
ed for treatment.

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ing from scalp wounds. Late last
night their condition was reported
to be comfortable.

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say that when the lorry began the
descent, it appeared to be running
normally. Suddenly it gathered
speed. Coolies in the back
screamed in panic and the driver
was observed to be doing all in
his power to check the machine's
dangerous momentum.

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ing a full load of earth and its
weight only added to the ma-
chine's speed.

When the lorry reached the
junction of Garden Road, the
driver swerved to the left to avoid
the last half of the grade and
possible disaster at the traffic con-
gested Queen's Road intersection.

But the speed of the lorry was
too great and it crashed over on
its side, emptying its passengers
and cargo on to the roadside.

The ricksha coolie, who had
been coming down Albert Road in
the direction of Queen's Road,
was pinned beneath it. But
hospital authorities say he will
probably recover.

DARLING FOOL

(Continued from Page 3.)

Why can't I be like that? My
heart always runs away with my
head."

"Don't worry about that." His
tone was so odd that she twisted
about to stare at him.

"What do you mean?"

"My dear," demanded Charles,
striking an attitude. "Don't you
realize you're marrying a bloom-
ing capitalist?"

"You're joking." She really
thought he was. He was a young
man of taste and elegance, of
course, but no money. Not much,
that is. Or so she had always
thought.

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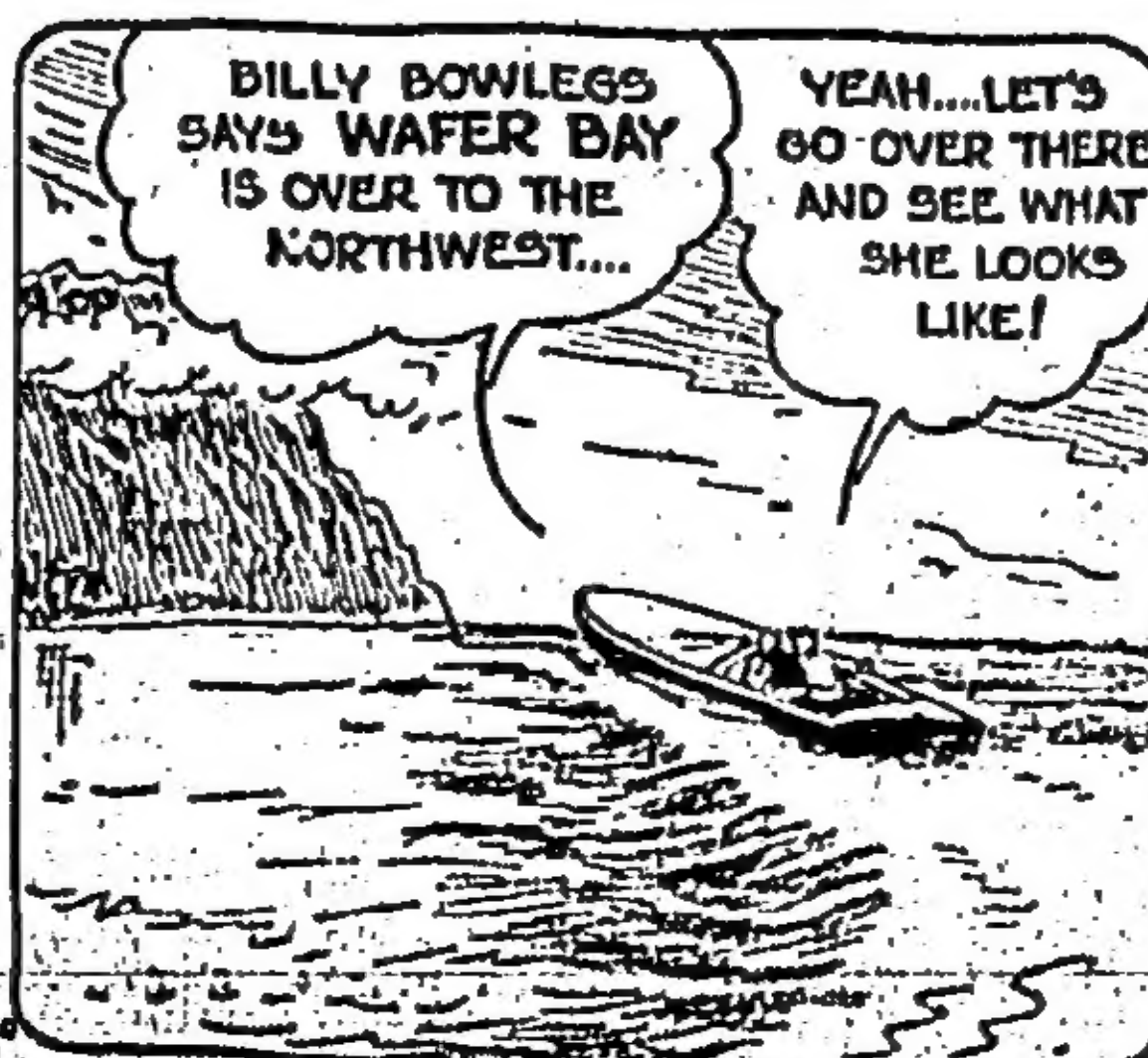
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To those who are using the forcing bid in contract, many would want to start South's hand with the bid of two spades, but it is not strong enough. South has too many losers to make a two bid which requires that the bidding be kept open until game is arrived-at.

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H—J-8
D—K-Q-5
C—A-5-4-2
EAST
S—8-2
H—5-3-2
D—10-6
C—J-10-5
WEST
S—6
H—K-Q
D—10-9
C—J-9-7
SOUTH—DEALER
S—A-K-Q-10-9-6
H—A-6
D—A-8-4
C—Q-7
The Bidding

therefore it is best to start South's hand at contract with a bid of one spade. West would overcall with two hearts. North should bid three spades. With this information, South can jump to five spades and North would go to six.

The Play

West has a choice of two openings—trump or the king of hearts. Against a slam declaration most players will open the singleton trump which South, the declarer, would win with the ace. Declarer would return the king of trump. West would follow with his last trump—the eight spot.

The declarer sees that he has one losing heart and one losing club trick. West's overcall of two hearts practically places the king and queen of hearts and the king of clubs in his hand. If this is true, the declarer can make his small slam by stripping both his hand and the dummy's of diamonds, therefore three rounds of diamonds are taken.

The declarer then leads the eight of hearts from dummy, winning in his own hand with the ace. The six of hearts is returned by the declarer and West is forced to win with the queen. Regardless of what West leads, he cannot stop the declarer from making a small slam. If he returns a heart or a diamond, the declarer will trump in the dummy and discard a club from his own hand. If West returns a small club, the declarer will allow it to ride to his queen as it is his only possible chance of successfully making six odd.

The bidding and the opening lead placed the missing high cards for the declarer.

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THEN PUTS HIMSELF IN THE DOCK

A Shanghai mendicant strolled into the charge room at Central Police Station yesterday morning, and after an unsuccessful request for some food, put himself in the dock.

Appearing before Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court this morning, he denied a charge of mendicancy.

Sub-Inspector A. W. Smith, said that at about 11 a.m. yesterday defendant came into the charge room and asked for food. He was told he had none to give him. He walked around and then put himself in the dock. "He was charged," said the witness. "We had no alternative. We could not put him on the road as a mendicant."

Replying to the magistrate S. I. Smith said the charge room was open to the public for enquiries.

Defendant claimed he was invited to Canton by Chan Chai-tong, but he was not given a job, and he thought a British Colony would treat him better. "I know I have committed crime, so I surrendered myself at the Police Station," he said. "If you think it is better for me to go back to Kool, I will go."

Magistrate—You had better go back to Canton.

Defendant pleaded he had no money. He was convicted and will be sent back to Canton by the Police.

"VERY SERIOUS OFFENCE"

LITTLE GIRL AND OPIUM

FOUND IN HER POSSESSION

"This is a very serious offence, and this little girl will at a later date be arrested for smuggling," remarked Revenue Officer Grimmitt prosecuting Lau Po before Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, with possession of 6 mace of prepared opium, keeping a dvan on the 1st floor of No. 48, Queen's Road, West and retailing opium to a person under 21 years of age.

Tsang Sze, a widow, was charged with possession of 11 taels of raw opium at No. 13, Ko Shing Street, 2nd floor, and with counselling, aiding and abetting the possession of opium by a minor. Lau Po pleaded guilty to the three charges against him, and was fined \$40 or three weeks; \$50 or four weeks and \$500 or four months respectively. The widow admitted possession, but denied the second charge.

THE EVIDENCE.

Revenue Officer Grimmitt said that about 8.30 p.m. yesterday he went to No. 13, Ko Shing Street, 2nd floor. He saw the defendant, who was seated on a bed, snatch something and put it underneath her jacket. It turned out to be a packet of raw opium. He asked her whether she had sent the small girl, Wong Ling (13) out to buy opium, and she denied it. He asked the girl to point out the person who had sent her, and the girl accused the defendant. Defendant admitted she had given

MEERUT CASE ON APPEAL

DEFENCE COUNSEL'S CONTENTION

Allahabad, July 25. Expected to last two months, the appeal in the Meerut conspiracy case has been taken up by the High Court.

The appellants are three Englishmen and 24 others who were sentenced on January 16 to various terms, ranging from transportation for life to small terms of imprisonment, on a charge of conspiring to deprive the King of his sovereignty.

The trial lasted over three years. Philip Spratt and B. F. Bradley, the Englishmen, who are alleged to have financed the plot, were sentenced to ten years' imprisonment each, while J. L. Hutchinson received four years' rigorous imprisonment.

The main contention of Dr. Katju, counsel for the appellants, is that a man cannot be prosecuted for holding views. Although the accused believed in the ultimate inevitability of a revolution, the contingency was so remote that their activities could not be considered a conspiracy against the King, he asserted today.—Reuter.

the girl the money to buy the opium for somebody else.

After the girl had given evidence, Mr. Schofield decided that the principal tenant was to blame, and discharged the defendant on the second count, but fined her \$300 or three months for possession.

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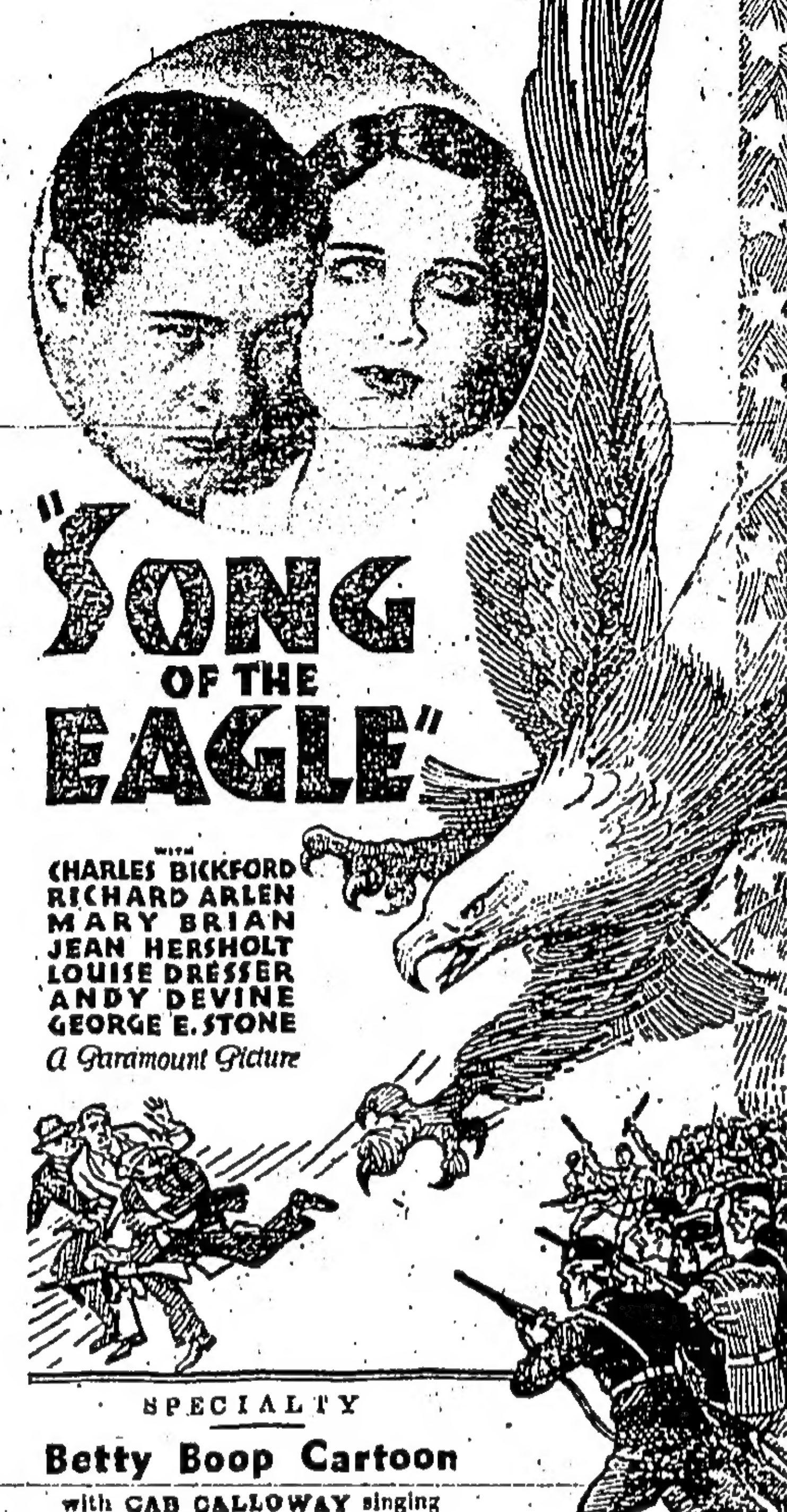
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